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THE TARIFF TACKLED.

Republican Senators Discuss a Number of Suggested Changes.

SUGAR HAS A GOOD CHANCE.

Demand for Gold Increases and the Treasury Is Alarmed.

STOCKS ARE STILL CRIPPLED.

Much Anxiety in Financial Circles Regarding the Bond Issue.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The Republican Senators went into caucus at 10:30 o'clock today, but adjourned at 12 to meet again after the conclusion of the day's session in the Senate.

The entire time of the caucus was consumed in discussing the proposed amendments to the tariff bill, but no formal expression was secured upon any of them, this being left until the caucus room session.

The prevailing sentiment appeared to be against all amendments, and the tendency favorable to reporting the bill as it came from the House.

Several Senators expressed their doubts as to the wisdom of the bill in any shape, and there was an evident disposition to regard the bill as purely a revenue measure.

Senator Quay moved the adoption of the House bill, but the motion was lost sight of in the general discussion.

Baker, the new Senator from Kansas, made a vigorous speech in opposition to the House bill if it came before the Senate unamended.

He said if any tariff legislation was to be enacted he thought it should be done on Republican and protection lines.

He also favored a course of non-action in view of the declaration of the administration that the present tariff would afford all the revenue needed.

He thought, however, if any legislation should be attempted at this time, the changes should be made in a few schedules only, such as those covering wool and sugar, which should be reformed upon purely protection lines.

Other speeches were made by Senators Allison, Aldrich, Perkins, Hale Chandler, Hawley and Burrows.

Senator Burrows contended for an advance in the rates on chemicals, oils, metals and agricultural products, while Perkins advocated in strong language placing sugar on a footing of equality with the other products.

Allison and Aldrich explained briefly the attitude of the Republican members of the finance committee, saying they were of the opinion, that if any changes were to be made, they should be in the way of increasing the House rates on agricultural products, spirits and pottery and adding sugar to the list to be increased 15 per cent.

THE SENATE.

Vest Makes a Forcible Reply to Sherman's Financial Speech.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—In the Senate today Jones (Dem., Ark.) reported from the Finance Committee the free silver substitute for the House bond bill and gave notice he would call it up tomorrow and ask the Senate to consider it.

Morrill, chairman of the Finance Committee notified the Senate that the substitute was opposed "by every Republican member of the committee." The bill went on the calendar.

Elkins offered a resolution that was referred to the Finance Committee, providing that hereafter any attempted issue of United States bonds shall first be advertised at least twenty days and such bonds shall be sold to the highest bidder.

A favorable report was made by Senator Dubois from the committee on public lands on the bill granting 25 per cent of the proceeds of the sale of mineral lands to the various public land States for the support of a school of mines.

At 2 o'clock Vest took the floor to discuss the gold reserve resolution introduced by Sherman several days ago.

He said that the last Congress passed a bill which carried ample revenue for the government and a small surplus besides.

The supreme court had stripped the measure of $50,000,000 of the revenue by a decision which was a surprise to nearly every intelligent lawyer on the floor.

While discussing the provision of the court he would observe the comity between the co-ordinate branches of the government, but he would say the income tax decision was one of the most remarkable ever delivered and was so considered by the majority of the people, including able lawyers everywhere.

AFTER PULITZER.

Lodge called attention today to the recent telegrams between the Prince of Wales, Rothschilds and other well-known British subjects and Mr. Pulitzer, of the New York World, concerning the Venezuelan and financial policies of the government.

He said they were in contravention of the statute of the United States forbidding such communications between private citizens and officers of foreign governments, and the attorney-general should prosecute Pulitzer for thus attempting to influence this government.

Gray of Delaware defended Pulitzer.

THE HOUSE.

Lond of California Asks for Information Regarding Postoffices.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The House today adopted a joint resolution authorizing Lieutenant Sidney S. Jordan, Fifth U. S. Artillery, and Captain E. C. Carter, assistant surgeon U. S. A., to accept medals from the British government.

Member-elect Allen of Utah was sworn in, the judiciary committee reporting there was no doubt concerning his eligibility.

Loud (Rep.) of California reported from the committee on postoffices a resolution calling on the Postmaster General for information concerning the number of clerks employed since June 30, 1895, to do the work formerly done by canceling machines, the number of clerks in the twenty largest postoffices whose salaries have been reduced, the number increased and the number of new men employed since June 30, 1894, with the reasons therefor and results in the matter of efficiency.

A report from the committee on judiciary calling upon the Attorney General for information as to what steps, if any, he has taken to enforce the laws of the United States against trusts, combinations and conspiracies, and what further legislation, if any, is needed, was made by Henderson of Iowa. The resolution was adopted.

On motion of Dingley, a resolution was adopted, calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information as to the amounts received from the lessees of the Alaskan seal islands each year from May, 1890, and from 1868 to 1890, and the number of skins taken each year, also the cost of policing the Bering sea and North Pacific each year since 1890, and the amounts paid for the support of the natives of Alaska.

The report made by Aldrich (Rep.) of Illinois chairman of the committee on accounts, recommending the appointment and release of sundry minor officials of the House, evoked a warm discussion, in which Johnson of Indiana and Walker of Massachusetts, both Republicans, attacked the alleged combination which controlled the appointments of House officers.

The recommendations of the committee on accounts were approved, and at 5:35 o'clock the House adjourned until tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS.

The President Announces the California Debris Commission.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The president sent the following nominations to the Senate today. Lieutenant Colonel William E. King, Corps of Engineers, to be a member of the Missouri River Commission.

To be members of the California Debris Commission, Colonel Charles Russell Suter, Major Charles E. L. B. Davis, Captain C. E. Gillette, all of the Corps of Engineers.

Treasury, Third Lieutenant William H. O'Day of Pennsylvania and Third Lieutenant Henry L. Peckham of Rhode Island to be second lieutenant, revenue cutter service.

PACIFIC RAILROADS.

The House Committee Meets and Prepares for Business

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The first meeting of the House Committee on Pacific Railroads held today was a largely formal affair for organization and while no definite step was taken toward framing a plan to adjust the indebtedness of the roads to the government, it was decided to begin that work at once and hold the first meeting for the purpose on Saturday next.

Hearings to interested parties if any are granted will be brief.

SEEKING RECOGNITION.

Leaders of the Cuban Revolutionary Party Applying at Washington.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Several members of the House consulted the leaders today regarding the introduction of resolution for the recognition of the insurgents of Cuba as belligerents.

It is quite likely, however, the Cuban question will not come up for discussion until the committee on foreign affairs makes a report.

Representative Sulzer of New York city called at the State Department today accompanied by President Palma of the Cuban revolutionary committee, Secretary Quesada, Horation Rubens, a prominent Cuban sympathizer, and Manuel Sanguilly, brother of Sanguilly, now held in Moro Castle, Havana.

Secretary Olney was about to leave for a Cabinet meeting so the party did not see him.

They left a large bundle of papers for his inspection.

It is believed the main purpose of the visit was to secure energetic action in behalf of the imprisoned Sanguilly, who claims American citizenship.

It is learned though that the chief purpose of the leaders of the Cuban revolutionary party in coming to Washington today was to push vigorously the movement to secure the recognition of revolutionists by this government.

They made Secretary Olney a brief but forcible presentation of the claims of the insurgents to recognition.

Recently the House adopted a resolution calling upon the State Department for all the information in its possession concerning the revolution.

President Palma and his associates at once began the compilation of evidence in justification of their cause.

It is probable the documents given Secretary Olney or their substance will soon be transmitted to the House.

There is a strong sentiment in the House which has been advanced by the recent successes of the Cubans that this government should do all in its power consistent with international usages, to assist the patriots.

President Palma predicts the insurgents will capture Havana within three months and a Cuban republic will be established in six months, if it has the recognition of the United States.

RAIDING THE RESERVE.

Three Millions More Gold Is Announced for Shipment.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Lazard Freres & Co. have ordered $1,000,000 gold at the subtreasury for shipment tomorrow. Heidelbach & Ickelheimer also ship $500,000 gold bars.

The total of gold engaged up to 1 o'clock today for tomorrow's shipment is as follows: Lazard Freres & Co., $2,625,000 gold bars; Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co. $500,000 gold bars and $500,000 gold coin.

A RUN IS FEARED.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The Post's Washington special says:

The fears entertained of a run on the gold reserve bid fair to be realized.

Information was received today at the treasury department that orders for the importation of gold have been cancelled and $3,000,000 will go out by tomorrow's steamers.

Private advices from New York also tell of large withdrawals for domestic sequestration.

This is what the administration feared more than withdrawals for exports.

"Scare dispatches" poured into Washington this afternoon from Wall street news agencies asking for the latest about the treasury situation.

It is not improbable the secretary of the treasury may be forced to abandon his popular loan programme and make another syndicate deal within ten days or two weeks to protect the reserve against annihilation.

The reserve will be down to $58,000,00 by tomorrow night on known figures.

NEED BE NO SCARE.

The Baltimore Probably Laid Up for a Week at Yokohama

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—No alarm is felt at the navy department over the U. S. Baltimore, reported in San Francisco to be overdue.

She was sailing under orders to stop at Yokohama, and if she had laid up there a week for any cause, she would not yet be due.

FOR THE FINANCIERS.

Experts Say, "What Will Become of the Bond Issue."

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—A special from Washington says: Now comes the important information from Mr. Morgan, who has formed, or is forming, a bond syndicate, that he will take all bonds offered by the government or none. This is his ultimatum.

The experts in finance know what this means. Hear what the best one in the government says under cover of confidence:

"The syndicate will get the bonds because speculation is a cold-blooded game.

"There is no sentiment in Wall street. It is well enough to speak of patriotism and brotherly love among the citizens of a nation, but those sentiments do not spring from the hearts of men who corner gold.

"Just as sure as those bonds are sold just that sure will Wall street get them."

"A bank in Stubenville, Ohio, the National Exchange bank, telegraphed today offering to take $20,000 of the bonds at $1.12.

"Other banks, I am told, have sent similar messages to Mr. Carlisle.

"A dozen or more of them were received before noon. But there were no messages from New York or from Philadelphia or from Boston.

"Those cities harbor the men who control the gold of this country. They may not have it themselves, but they have a way of getting it.

"When you have learned the intricacies of finance you will learn that the bankers of New York with their affiliations and connections reaching across the sea can band themselves together under the present laws and manipulate the gold reserve of this government as nicely as an engineer manipulates his throttle."

There is belief expressed in other quarters that in the end the syndicate will control this bond issue just as it did the last.

It is thought that while the public may subscribe to some extent, the great financiers, the men who have formed the syndicate, will go together and make a price for practically the whole issue, which would be higher than the average individual would care to give, and which would compel the Secretary of the Treasury to award the bonds to the combination.

Secretary Carlisle was prompted to write his bond call by news which he had received from Secretary Olney, who had been in New York, and was then on his way to Washington. Just before 9 o'clock Sunday night Mr. Olney reached Washington and was driven immediately to the White House.

A few minutes later Mr. Carlisle and Attorney-General Harmon were summoned to the White House by telephone.

Then Secretary Carlisle, reading from the notes he had made at his home, dictated the call, which was later made public.

What information did Mr. Olney bring from New York? That is a question not so easily answered. The men who know are few.

The private secretary to the President was besieged for information on this point, and in reply to all questions he remarked that he belonged to the great majority who knew nothing.

Some of the men whose opinions are worthy believe that Senator Elkins' resolution, which was discussed so warmly in the Senate Friday afternoon, was responsible in part for the sudden issue of the bond call.

By this resolution Senator Elkins sought to declare the sense of the Senate to be against the sale of bonds to a syndicate, in other words, against a private sale.

This resolution rests on the calendar of the Senate as unfinished business, to be taken up at noon today.

STOCKS STILL SHIFTY.

The Market Is Awaiting the Issue of the Bonds.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The uncertainty regarding the government bond issue and the evidence of political and financial disturbance abroad dominated the opening here.

London cables reported declines in Americans ranging up to 2 per cent below yesterday's final New York prices.

Grangers are under a special column now on the government report indicating that the crops of wheat, corn and oats in 1895 yielded the farmers about 26,000,000 bushels less than even in previous light years.

The market started inactive and weak with sharp declines of all leading shares.

At 10:15 there was a loss in sugar of 1¾. Pullman dropped 6 per cent. Pacific Mail 2½ per cent. Large blocks of stocks were thrown on the market.

Toward 10:30 the tone of speculation underwent a change and some gains were made.

Silver is 67¾c, and lead is $3.09.

Stock speculation during the second hour was quiet but firm.

The prices at midday as a rule were but slightly below yesterday's closing figures.

IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The stock market was very weak, but business closed slightly above the lowest prices. American securities were very flat.

PORTUGESE HAPPY.

The Revolt at Mozambique Said to Be Effectually Crushed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Acting Portuguese Minister Senor Tavera has received a cablegram announcing the capture of Gungunhama and Son Guide by Captain Mouchino.

The news of the capture of the leaders of the rebellion at Mozambique has caused the greatest enthusiasm at Lisbon, and it is considered in Portugal that the capture means a termination of the rebellion.

SCIENCE'S GREAT STRIDES

The Latest Discovery Is of a Marvellous Advance in Photography

Impressions Can Be Obtained Inside Flesh and Organic Substances.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A dispatch to a local paper from London says:

The noise of war's alarm should not distract attention from the marvelous triumph of science which is reported from Vienna.

It is announced that Professor Routtgen, of the Wurzburg University, has discovered a light, which for the purposes of photography will penetrate flesh and most other organic substances.

The professor has succeeded in photographing metal weights which were in a closed wooden case, also a man's hand which shows only the bones, the flesh being invisible.

The Chronicle correspondent says the discovery is simple. The professor takes a so-called Crooke's pipe, viz.: a vacuum glass pipe with an induction current going through it and by means of rays which the pipe emits, photographs on ordinary photographic plates.

In contrast with the ordinary rays of light these rays penetrate organic matter and other opaque substances just as ordinary rays penetrate glass.

He has also succeeded in photographing hidden metals with a cloth thrown over the camera.

The rays penetrated not only the wooden case containing the metals but the fabric in front of the negative.

The professor is already using his discovery to photograph broken limbs and bullets in human bodies.

A $100,000 FIRE.

Chicago Suffers From a Fierce Conflagration Down Town.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Fire started last night in the basement of the building at Nos. 272-276 Madison street, and burned through five floors to the roof, causing damage of $100,000.

The tenants of the building were: The Confectioners' and Bakers' Supply Company, occupying the entire building with the exception of the ground floor room; James Schoenwetter, cigar store, and J. Kohn, saloon.

The damage to the stock of the Bakers' Supply Company is estimated at $75,000, while the building and other tenants are damaged to the extent of $25,000.

Schoenwetter and his wife had a narrow escape from death by suffocation.

Two policemen who discovered the fire broke down the door and pushed their way through the smoke to where the man and his wife were asleep.

After rescuing them they turned in an alarm.

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J. W. COLEMAN IS DEAD.

The Well-Known Capitalist Suddenly Removed From the Scene.

HEART DISEASE DID IT.

He Had Not Been Well, But His Illness Was Not Deemed Serious.

HIS LIFE WAS A BUSY ONE.

Oakland Is Indebted to Him for Many Mammoth Enterprises.

News was received here this morning at an early hour that John W. Coleman, the capitalist, had died at his winter residence in San Francisco.

The intelligence was so unexpected that it created a shock whenever it was announced to any of the personal friends or business associates of the deceased.

Although nearly all of Mr. Coleman's working hours have been for a long time past spent in San Francisco, yet his place of residence has until recently been in this city, because for about twelve or fifteen years he has resided with his family in the palatial home, 754 Eighth street at the northwest corner of West street.

Mr. Coleman died about 6 o'clock this morning at his temporary residence, which has been rented for the season at 1822 Sacramento street. His death resulted from a complication of diseases, though he was most violently assailed by heart disease, because death came suddenly.

The remains have been brought to this side of the bay, and the funeral will take place at a time yet to be decided from the family home at the corner of Eighth and West streets.

Mr. Coleman's career was most active and successful. He began life in humble circumstances, but by close and diligent application to business succeeded in acquiring a fortune variously estimated between $1,000,000 and $1,250,000.

As years advanced and as success came to Mr. Coleman, he used his means in furthering vast schemes which, while they tended to his own enrichment, gave employment to large aggregations of employes, ranging from the humble laborer to men skilled in the various learned professions.

To the ordinary observer Mr. Coleman appeared as a gentleman of leisure, whether at home or on the cars or boats in going to or coming from his place of business. His manner was retiring and easy, his disposition cheerful and genial, and his ambition seemed to be able to accomplish as much as possible in the world of finance and enterprise, and at the same time conceal from the eyes of the public the magnitude of his undertakings.

There is no doubt, however, that his demise at the comparatively early age of 59 years was due to maladies which were the direct result of intense application, even if quiet and methodical, of brain power. His interests were so diversified and depended upon so many contingencies, that it was apparent to some of his intimates that sooner or later he would have to succumb.

Despite this fact, so hearty and healthy did he appear, and indeed so greatly did he seem to enjoy life in his own way that his death occasioned the most profound astonishment.

Nobody save John A. Britton knew of his illness, and that gentleman attached no importance to the indisposition. He had seen Mr. Coleman on Saturday last in the San Francisco office of the Oakland Gas, Light & Heat Company about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. At that time Mr. Coleman complained of not feeling well, but said that he thought his ailment was simply the result of indigestion.

A SKETCH OF HIS CAREER.

John W. Coleman was born in Kentucky in 1837, and after receiving a common school education, early undertook the study and became proficient in telegraphy.

He came to California at an early day and located in Sacramento, where he remained for a time. He then went into the mercantile business and conducted for a time a lucrative trade with the mines. His first investment in mining interests was in the vicinity of Grass Valley, and later he had been successful in his ventures there and later in Nevada, he moved to San Francisco.

There he was an active and central figure in the wild and exciting scenes in many of the stock flurries which enlivened the Stock Exchange. He became the senior member of the stock broker firm of Coleman & Keene, the junior member of the firm being the celebrated James R. Keene, otherwise known as "Jim." Keene, now of New York. This firm was one of the most successful and boldest combinations in the exchange, and when the lively times in which it flourished came to a close Keene went to New York, where he also attained to prominence in the world of stocks and bonds. This firm was in existence during the years 1872, 1873 and 1874, and when it was disrupted Mr. Coleman was in the possession of a goodly amount of goods as the result of successful ventures.

It was soon after the last mentioned year that he branched out in enterprises that dealt in more tangible things than the speculative values of stocks and with many of these enterprises he remained connected until the time of his death.

It is not possible to name these undertakings in chronological order, because, although personally known by many people the private affairs of Mr. Coleman were in many instances kept only to himself. So true is this that in any of the historical publications which have from time to time appeared in this action in which biography formed one of the features one looks in vain for a sketch of the life of John W. Coleman.

Mr. Coleman owned 200 shares in the California Safe Depository and Trust Company of San Francisco and was one of the most active promoters of the enterprise.

He had long been an interested stockholder in the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company. At the time of his death he had attained to the presidency of that concern, having been elected a few weeks ago to the place which had recently been rendered vacant by the demise of Joseph G. Eastland. This same company yesterday secured control of the Berkeley Electric Light Company and at a meeting of the latter organization last night J. W. Coleman was elected one of the new directors.

He served for many years as president of the North Pacific road and under his management the property was rendered very remunerative.

He was also largely interested in the United Carriage Company of San Francisco.

In 1891 he became a member by appointment of the Governor of the Board of Directors of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind Asylum at Berkeley. His term of office with that of the other members Dr. William C. Bartlett, John K. McLean, Warren Olney and A. T. Ralston, should have expired last year at the will of Governor Budd, but the Governor had not seen fit to change the composition of the board. Mr. Coleman was an active member of the board and it was only from the last meeting of the directors that Mr. Coleman was missed.

On the 17th of July, 1893, there was quite a change in the composition of the Board of Directors of the Oakland Consolidated road. That change resulted in the selection of Mr. Coleman as vice president, to succeed J. E. McElrath.

Mr. Coleman had long had his eyes turned on the development of the coal deposits in Alameda county mainly with the hope of establishing large manufacturing establishments in Oakland. W. C. Coleman had preceded him in this respect, having given a great deal of attention to the deposits at Corral Hollow. Finally James Treadwell was inspired to also look into the matter, with the result that about the middle of last year a corporation was formed for the purpose of building a railroad to Corral Hollow, developing the mines and thus placing the output upon the market. This corporation is now known as the San Francisco & San Joaquin Coal Company, one of the directors of which was John W. Coleman, the other directors being James Treadwell, Henry Williams, John Cole, J. D. Fry, J. C. Johnson, R. D. Fry and H. A. Wells. The mines are stocked for $5,000,000 with 50,000 shares. This enterprise will be of incalculable advantage because it will place coal down on the wharves in Oakland at such a figure as to render profitable all kinds of manufactures.

Mr. Coleman was married when a young man to Miss Julia Person, who survives him, as do also two children, Miss Jessie Coleman and Harry Coleman. A third child was Ross Coleman. He was a graduate of the naval academy at Annapolis, but died while on his first cruise on the Pacific after his graduation.

The family of the deceased occupied a high position in the social life of Oakland and the bereavement will cause sympathetic sorrow in many an Oakland home.

MOUNTAIN VIEW MATTERS.

A Number of Fine Monuments to Be Erected Soon.

The annual meeting of the lot holders of the Mountain View Cemetery Association was held yesterday, A. K. P. Harmon presiding. Superintendent Smith reported that there has been an increase in the number of interments and that there has been one acre of ground added to the area of the cemetery during the past year.

Directors J. S. Emery, J. W. Phillips, G. E. Grant and A. A. Moore were re-elected. A number of improvements and fine monuments will be erected in the cemetery during this year, among them being one designed by the Elks.

Senator Perkins has introduced a bill providing for the beautifying of the G. A. R. plot, which it is expected will become a law.

JURY NEEDS.

The Superior judges have made an order fixing the number of trial and grand jurors that will be required on the regular panels for this year. By the terms of the order 100 grand jurors and 400 trial jurors will be required during 1896.

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RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN

W. J. Gardner of the Southern Pacific Killed While at Work.

He Was Making a Coupling and His Foot Caught in a Frog

William J. Gardner, fireman of the switch engine in the Peralta street yards, was killed while on duty yesterday afternoon. Mr. Gardner was superintending the making up of a freight train when the fatal accident happened. He tried to couple a car to a train already attached to the engine. The coupling was out of order and the pin would not fit in the socket. Thinking that he could fasten it while the train was in motion, Mr. Gardner did not motion the engineer to stop, the train pushed by the engine going slowly down the track.

Meanwhile Gardner persisted in his efforts, unmindful of the danger. His head was between the cars and he was walking sideways. Consequently he did not notice the switch that the train was approaching. Suddenly the victim's foot was caught in the frog. He made a violent effort to extricate himself but could do nothing. Almost instantly he fell across the track in front of the wheels. The train was stopped as soon as possible, but not until his body was severed nearly in two. Death was instantaneous. Beside the first shock Gardner suffered no pain.

The remains were taken to the morgue. An inquest will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Gardner was in San Francisco and could not be found until nearly 11 o'clock this morning. The poor woman was stunned by the suddenness of the blow, but bore the shock bravely. The couple had no children.

Gardner was 32 years of age and a respected employe of the Southern Pacific Company. For the last two months he has been staying at Hotel Crellin, where his quiet, pleasant manners won him many friends.

THE MILK RAIDS.

Inspectors Pierce and Ott Have Another Turn at the Dairymen.

Milk Inspector Pierce and Sanitary Inspector Ott were out after the festive milkmen again this morning. They left the health office at 2 o'clock, and long before the first wagon arrived they had taken their stand in the northern end of the city. Most of the milk stood the test, and consequently little was emptied into the gutter.

Those tested and the results were as follows:

Bliss, 3; 2-5; Lorin Jersey Farm, 3, 4; Lovell's Empire Dairy, 3 2-5, 3 2-5; Hodson's dairy, 3, 3; Cureto's dairy, 2 3-5, 3; Cort's dairy, 3 2-5, 4; Anderson's dairy, 3 2-5, 3 2-5; Parker's dairy, 4 2-5, 4 2-5.

The inspectors intend to continue their work daily until every wagon load of milk has been sampled.

THINKS SHE IS ILL.

Margaret McKeown's Hallucination Is Inquired Into.

The examination of Margaret McKeown before the lunacy commissioners in Judge Fricks court today, was not completed. She seemed to be a rational homeless woman who is possessed of the hallucination that she is afflicted with an incurable disease. The testimony showed she had been a frequent inmate of the San Francisco and the Alameda county almshouse but had refused to be treated at the latter place. She had given the physicians considerable trouble. Further testimony will be taken tomorrow.

SENT TO IONE.

Samuel McCrea Could Not Be Controlled.

Samuel McCrea, a 14-year-old boy, who has given his mother much cause for complaint, was committed to the Preston School of Industry at Ione by Judge Frick today. The boy had been in the habit of remaining away from home for weeks and his mother testified he was entirely beyond parental control.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Edward W. O'Neill, San Francisco..... 24
Mary E. Foley, San Francisco..... 27
Charles Dibiolles, Oakland..... 28
Marie J. M. Dupont, Oakland..... 28

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An Operation Will Be Undertaken to Remove the Bullet.

Thomas Lamb, the ex-convict who was shot yesterday by Police Officer Andrews kept the Receiving Hospital in an uproar last night by his raving and howling for morphine. Lamb is a confirmed "fiend," and the surgeons who are attending his case administered two grains during the night, but this far from satisfied the wounded man's desire for the baneful drug. His supply was cut off because the physicians feared the effect upon the wound and their patient's condition.

Steward Victory passed a sleepless night. Lamb's outcries could be heard for blocks, and the large quantity of the drug that was administered seemed to have little or no effect.

A careful examination of the wound made last night and the general condition of the patient led the surgeons to decide an operation would be necessary to locate the bullet, which had gone beyond the reach of the surgeon's probe. The belief was expressed that it had struck the pelvic bone on the right side and had lodged somewhere in the abdominal region.

If such were the case an operation would be necessary as a last chance to discover the location of the bullet and to remove it before peritonitis set in. There is danger also of blood poisoning so long as the bullet remains in that vital portion of the body.

The serious nature of the wound is a source of a great deal of distress to Officer Andrews, who said today he regretted extremely the result of his shot. He believed he was doing nothing more than his full duty in bringing Lamb down after the prisoner had been warned several times and had unheeded the repeated commands of the officer to stop. Lamb apparently thought that Andrews was, in the parlance of the street, "running a bluff," for the fleeing man only replied with an oath each time he was ordered to halt after he made the break out of the fire engine house.

A COUNTY COMMITTEE CALL

The Republicans Are Ordered to Assemble Next Saturday.

A meeting of the Republican County Central Committee has been called for next Saturday afternoon in Judge Allen's courtroom at 2 o'clock. The call has been issued by Chairman Mautalen.

For several days past rumors to the effect that Chairman Mautalen had announced that he intended to tender his resignation as chairman of the committee.

Mr. Mautalen was seen by a reporter for the Tribune this afternoon and asked whether or not the rumor was well founded.

Mr. Mautalen replied that he had not announced that he was going to resign and, further, that he did not intend to resign from the position as chairman. He had never promised to resign, but he had said that if the committee desired to change the list of officers, it could do so, if it were possible, by reorganization.

It does not appear however, how the committee could be reorganized, unless it should first be disorganized, and then the question would arise as to whether another committee could be authorized to act without the appointment of a county convention.

At the same time, Mr. Mautalen says that there are six members of the committee who favor his retention of the position of chairman, and those six comprise a majority of the body.

The best of the season—Dramatic and musical, Unitarian Church, Thursday evening, 50 cts.

Sunday School Installation.

The installation of the Sunday School officers of the First M. E. church was held last Sunday. Dr. Kummer, pastor of the church, officiated and as the officers stood he read their duties. Those who have pledged themselves to assume the cares of the school for the coming year are as follows:

Myron T. Holcomb, superintendent; H. W. Baxter, assistant superintendent; John Ames, assistant superintendent; Miss M. C. Heaton, lady assistant superintendent; J. C. Hill, superintendent local work; Dr. R. T. Stratton, superintendent senior department, Mrs. A. D. Coplan, superintendent junior department; Mrs. Grace Depew, superintendent primary department; R. W. Meek, secretary, F. A. Webster, treasurer, O. H. Walker, librarian; L. G. Burpee, financial secretary.

The Manse Meetings.

The art exhibit at the Manse, corner of Eighth and Wood streets, West Oakland, which has been so largely attended the past week, will close on Thursday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. Jorgensen will be present. The special guests for Wednesday afternoon are the members of the Ebell Society, and for Thursday afternoon and evening all contributors to and members of the Manse Association.

Bad News From Spain.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BARCELONA, Jan. 6.—News most unfavorable to the Spanish government has been received from Cuba. It is understood the insurgent forces are pressing around Havana.

ONE POINT AHEAD.

The Railroad Is Sustained in an Important Ruling.

AFFIDAVITS THROWN OUT.

The Commissioner's Figures Not Allowed to Stand.

GENERAL COAST GOSSIP.

Governor Budd After One of the Leading School Editors.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The hearing of the injunction suit of the Southern Pacific railroad against the State Board of Railroad Commissioners to restrain the board from carrying into effect its proposed schedule reducing the rates on grain and other commodities transported over the company's lines was resumed today in the United States Circuit court before Judge McKenna.

The attorney-general read the affidavits of Chairman Larue of the commission containing figures showing the valuations of railroad properties and that the bonded indebtedness of the roads exceeded their cost of construction.

Attorney Herrin, of the railroad, objected to the admission of this affidavit, claiming its contents were immaterial.

The attorney-general replied that the figures were taken from the report of the congressional committee on Pacific roads.

Judge McKenna sustained the objection to the affidavit.

This was the first blow to the cause of the commissioners.

Larue's affidavit was strong in refutation of the figures given by the Southern Pacific.

STATE SCHOOLS.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 7.—The State Board of Education was in session again today.

Governor Budd, president of the board, made an unsuccessful attempt to pass a resolution that the editorial stuff on school books be not retained after the new grammar was completed and there was no further work to do.

On account of the exhaustion of funds it was announced, the board cannot go on with advanced history and arithmetic and a resolution to that effect was adopted.

Governor Budd is after the scalp of M. H. V. Raymond, editor-in-chief of the school books. Raymond's friends on the board will make an effort to retain him at all hazards.

In an interview today the Governor said he "did not propose that this man Raymond shall draw a salary while on waiting orders. There is nothing to do and his pay must cease."

The Governor has a little the best of the situation, for as president of the board he has to pass upon Raymond's salary.

SAN JOSE'S CRUSADE.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Jan. 7.—At last night's meeting of the Common Council, which did not terminate till an early hour this morning, City Attorney Hardy and Surveyor Sainsevain were deposed and J. R. Welch and C. M. Barker elected to their respective positions.

A sweeping ordinance was introduced revoking all the retail saloon licenses after July 1st outside of the business center of the city.

A LONE ROBBER.

PRESCOTT, Ariz., Jan. 7.—Last night about 9 o'clock Agent W. E. Hall of the United Verde & Pacific railway at Jerome was held up by a masked man his office robbed of about $80.

Three other men were in the office with Hall at the time, but none being armed were unable to render any assistance.

After getting the money and examining the safe to see if any had been overlooked, the robber backed out in darkness, keeping the men covered with his revolver until he closed the door and made his escape.

The office is located near the big smelter of the United Verde Company in one of the most public places in the camp.

THE BROWN SCANDAL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—When the trial of Mrs. Davidson was resumed this afternoon for the alleged extortion from Rev. C. O. Brown the court room was jammed.

Mrs. Davidson was placed on the stand in her own defense and told the story of her life prior to her arrival in San Francisco two years ago.

She said she taught class in the Sunday school at the First Congregational church and that Dr. Brown approved of her work both before and after he paid her $500.

She said Brown had publicly commended her work a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Carmichael-Carr, Sigmund Beel and W. E. Bachelier, at Unitarian Church, Thursday evening.

COURT CALENDAR.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 8, 1896.

Department 1, Judge Frick—T. B. Broderick vs. Fred Lowrie. De Costa's petition for restoration to capacity.

Department 2, Judge Ogden—No session.

Department 3, Judge Ellsworth—Reserved.

Department 4, Judge Greene—People vs. ex-Railroad Watchman Kellogg.

A Steamer Ashore.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The British steamer Monomoy, Captain Duck, from New York December 22d, for Leith, is ashore off Marwick Head, near Kirkwell, County Orkney, Scotland.

WILHELM WANTS WAR.

He at Last Openly Throws His Glove in England's Face.

SUZERAINTY IS DENIED.

He Declares Boldly for the Boers in South Africa.

JOHN BULL IS EXCITED.

The London Press Come Out With Sensational Headings.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—At a special audience which Dr. W. K. Leyds, secretary of state of the Transvaal, had with Emperor William today, His Majesty declared he would not recognize any claim of suzerainty over the Transvaal.

Great Britain, by the treaty of 1844, claims suzerainty over the Transvaal Republic.

A semi-official denial was issued this morning on the statement from Cape Town contained in a dispatch to the Times of London that W. J. Leyds, secretary of state for the Transvaal, with a secret fund at his disposal had floated a German colonization company with the intention of introducing 5000 German military settlers into the Transvaal.

A WARLIKE TONE.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The Globe this evening prints sensational news under the following scare headlines:

"Activity in War Office"

"Anticipated Military Measures."

The Globe then states the war office sent a special military messenger this afternoon to the colonial office, stating it is rumored important orders are pending.

A dispatch from the military camp at Aldershot says the general belief, almost backed by proof, prevails that the authorities are considering the mobilizing of the army reserves and a part of the militia.

The men employed in the ordnance stores are very busy.

IMPRISONED AS A SPY.

JOHANNESBURG, Jan. 7.—Mr. Letty, correspondent of the Reuters Telegram Company here, has been imprisoned upon suspicion of being a spy in the interests of the British Chartered South Africa Company.

PREPARING TO ADVANCE.

The Insurgents Are Waiting At the Gates of Havana.

Trains Burned and All Movements of the Spaniards Badly Hampered.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, Jan. 7.—The insurgents are still in the vicinity of Havana, but the movements are not of sufficient importance to chronicle in detail.

The number of insurgents at Managua and Calabazar, fourteen miles from this city, has been increased, but it is now believed that Havana itself will not be attacked for some time.

The insurgents have burned a mixed train from Cardenas, near Banaguizes, and the Spaniards claim they violated all the women and young girls among the passengers.

Railroad communication in the province of Matanzas is being resumed.

RAILROADS PLYING AGAIN.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The Central cable office of the Western Union Telegraph Company has sent out the following: "Railway communication between Havana and the Cuba Submarine Company's station at Batabano has been re-established. Trains leave twice a day, at 6 A. M. and 2 P. M., returning about the same hours. Telegrams for West Indian points south of Havana can go forward via Key West, subject to some delay."

MAJOR POST IS DEAD.

A Prominent Engineer and Well Known Clubman Is Gone.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Major James Clarence Post, U. S. A., died last evening at the home of his father-in-law, John T. Pultz.

He was born in this city, and was appointed a cadet at West Point on July 1, 1861.

He graduated in 1865, and was appointed a second lieutenant. He served in the garrison at Little Rock, Ark., until 1866, when he was appointed ordnance officer of the department of Arkansas and promoted to first lieutenant.

He afterward served in the engineer corps at Jefferson Barracks, and in 1867 was assistant engineer in charge of the improvement of Boston harbor. He also assisted in the construction of the defenses of Portsmouth harbor, N. H.

He was appointed to the rank of major, since which time he served at the American Legation of London.

Of late years, Major Post was detailed to the engineering corps in the Department of the East. He was a member of the University club.

The Wheat Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Wheat, firm; May, $1.07¾. Barley, quiet; May, 70.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Wheat, January, 57⅝; May, 60⅝. Corn, January, 26½; May, 28¾.

HE SHAMMED LUNACY

Such Is the Remarkable Story Now Told About De Costa.

SCHEMERS ADVISED HIM.

It Looks as if the Old Man Was Railroaded to the Asylum.

CRUELTY IS ALSO ALLEGED.

Judge Frick Intends to Have the Case Thoroughly Investigated.

Jose Ignacio De Costa, whose troubles with Martin Wenceslow over the alleged fraudulent practice of the latter by which he secured $2500 of Costa's money, has developed a rather remarkable story which will be fully investigated tomorrow by Judge Frick.

The proceedings taken in the Superior Court this morning looking toward the restoration of De Costa to capacity were terminated rather suddenly by Judge Frick because of the stories told by Gregory Zeilich and J. Silva, friends of the old man. They intimated that the court had been imposed upon by J. Martin in the proceedings that were taken to have De Costa declared incompetent some months ago.

It was stated that Martin had gone to De Costa after he lost his money and told him he would have to show lunacy in order to secure its return. Martin, it was stated, represented to De Costa that he (Martin) would be appointed his guardian in the event he was declared unfit to handle his own business affairs and would be enabled to arrange for the return of the $2500 which De Costa claims Wenceslow secured.

In accordance with that plan De Costa began to exhibit evidences of a failing mind at once. Then followed his examination before Judge Frick and a subsequent order appointing Martin as guardian of the old man.

Attorneys Garrity and McElroy, who have had charge of De Costa's affairs since the action was brought against Wenceslow for the recovery of the money, only learned today the strange story. They have had a petition for the restoration of their client on hand and they were ready to proceed against Wenceslow in a civil action when he was declared incompetent.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The hearing of the petition was on the calendar this morning in Judge Fricks' department. De Costa was a witness and then his friend Silva related how Martin had gone to the old man's family and had told them if De Costa were declared incompetent and he were appointed his guardian the money could be recovered.

Gregory Zeilick corroborated the story and told the court that Martin had been to him and requested him to go to court as a witness to De Costa's inability to care for himself.

Rose Andre, a tall and picturesque brunette, who is a niece of De Costa's, said her uncle lived with the family at 620 Fifth street. She had never noticed anything in his actions that would lead to believe that he was unable to take care of his affairs.

Judge Frick ordered the sheriff to subpoena Martin to be in attendance on the court at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning to give some explanation of his queer conduct in the matter.

De Costa's story of the loss of his money was to the effect that he had accumulated about $2500 and intended to return to his native land. He met Wenceslow, he claimed, who learned of the old man's plans and induced him to remain here. An agreement was made whereby Wenceslow was to take the old man's money in return for care during the remainder of De Costa's life. The old man said he went to live with Wenceslow as by agreement, but had remained there only a few days when he was kicked out into the street.

THE FIRE CHIEF.

Commissioners Deny They Have Been Talking About Campbell.

The Police and Fire Commissioners will meet this afternoon but nothing will be done regarding a change in the head of the fire department. Mayor Davie says that he never talked of voting for Fred A. Campbell as a successor to Lawton and Porsol says he has never talked with the Mayor or anyone else about such a change.

TOWN TOPICS.

There will be installations of officers in the hall of Lyon Post, No. 8, G. A. R., tonight.

Burglars entered the residence of Councilman Manuel at 1423 Chestnut street, Saturday night, and secured about $140 in money and a gold watch and chain.

Miss Portia Knight and Lillian Lyster in "A Fair Encounter," Unitarian Church, Thursday evening.

The Goldberg Estate.

The final account of the executors of the Morris Goldberg estate has been allowed. The account shows that $158,822 was distributed and $38,450 remains in the executors' hands. The attorneys for the executors were allowed $4,000 additional; A. Ruef, $1,000; H. H. North, $1,000.

Dramatic and musical evening, Unitarian Church, Thursday evening. Admission 50c.

Bad Explosions.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Three distinct explosions in the works of the United States and Canada Decreasing Company took place this afternoon in Brooklyn. One man was killed and three injured.

Knight's Report.

The semi-annual report of Public Administrator Knight shows the appraised value of property that passed through his hands during the last half of 1895 to have been $55,838.88; of this $128.58 was coin.

The Garbage Bids.

The Board of Public Works meets tonight, at which time bids for the removal of garbage will be opened.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

KELLOGG IS ON TRIAL.

The Famous Bribery Charges Are Now to Be Well Investigated.

George Savage's Exploit at the Pier Was the Cause of All the Trouble.

The trial of George H. Kellogg, the former Southern Pacific detective indicted by the grand jury on a charge of attempting to secure a bribe, was commenced today in Judge Greene's department of the Superior Court.

The case is in the hands of Deputy District Attorney Metzin for the prosecution.

The morning session was exhausted in securing a jury.

Kellogg was indicted on evidence furnished by George Savage, alias "Kid Jones," a young man of unsavory reputation in police circles, whose uncle was a San Francisco bookmaker. The uncle told the grand jury that Kellogg had offered for $200 to "square" young Savage's case in the Superior Court, when he was charged with grand larceny. A number of incriminating letters signed "Boston" came into the possession of the District Attorney. These it was stated had been written by Kellogg to Savage.

The young man was arrested with a companion by Kellogg at the broad gauge ferry depot on a charge of having picked the pocket of a woman of a purse containing $50. The companion, Philbrown, secured a bond and disappeared. The case against Savage was never tried because the complaining witness went to Honolulu.

BOOMING CRIPPLE CREEK.

The Mining Exchanges Are Keeping the Place in the Front Rank

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The formal opening of the Chicago Mineral and Mining Board, announced for yesterday, has been put off until January 21st, as the quarters to be occupied are not yet in order.

Three applications for membership were received yesterday by telegraph, making 218 member of the 250 to which the board is limited.

J. Rush Field, Benjamin Zeltz and M. J. Sheeman of the listing committee left last night for the West. They will look over the different districts and make arrangements for listing the better grade of stocks.

They will not confine themselves to Cripple Creek, but will include Butte, Helena, Salt Lake and others.

It is not the intention of the Chicago Mining Board to confine its operations to gold and silver.

Iron, coal, zinc—in fact, the stock of reputable mines of whatever product will be listed.

Ask a Guardian.

Application was made this afternoon by Kirkham Wright to have Kate K. Wheeler appointed guardian of Mrs. General Kirkham, on the ground of old age and physical infirmity. The matter will be heard January 14th.

Found Dead in Bed.

J. W. Brown, formerly a Fresno capitalist, was found dead in his bed this afternoon at the Girard House.

The wedding of A. J. Edwards of Dunsmuir and Mrs. Nellie Breheus of this city was celebrated on New Year's eve at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bray, 1378 Eleventh street. Rev. H. H. Rice was the officiating clergyman. Mr. Edwards is a conductor on the Dunsmuir division, and at that city the happy couple will make their home.

Too Late for Classification

SITUATION WANTED—MALE.

FIRST-CLASS German, French and American cook; is able to take full charge of kitchen, wishes situation in private family in Oakland; wages not under $30; references given. Address Cook, 1107 Sacramento st., San Fran.

SITUATION WANTED—FEMALE.

SITUATION wanted by a German young lady as cook; is a first class cook in every respect; country preferred. Address G. R., box —, Tribune.

WANTED—A situation by a colored woman to do general house work in a small family. Apply 916 5th st.

AN EASTERN lady wishes a position as housekeeper. Enquire at 775 22d st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED immediately, a young girl to do plain housework at 968 E. 11th st., East Oakland.

WANTED—A young girl to do housework and help with children in a small family. Call after noon at 1213 9th ave., East Oakland.

MEDIUMS.

MRS. JEPSON tells past, present and the future; ladies 25c; gentlemen a 50c; 775 22d st., bet. West and Brush sts., Oakland.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

MR. AND MRS. J. D. OUTRAM having purchased the Hammond House, No. 402 San Pablo av., and having renovated the same throughout, are prepared to rent suites of rooms suitable for housekeeping at reasonable rates, according to location and furniture; also single rooms. The Hammond House is strictly a first class family apartment house.

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W. E. DARGIE,
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UP-TOWN OFFICE.
A branch office of The Tribune has been opened in the stationery and embroidery store of Mrs. M. A. Cahill, 1255 Nos Broadway, near Fourteenth street. There small advertisements and subscriptions may be left. Advertisements will be received and published the same day up to 1:30 o'clock.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

ATTENTION dog owners! Dogs wearing the tags of 1895 should be immediately had at once. H. L. Wertze, Poundmaster.

C. C. STAROM, carpenter and builder, purchaser of building will charge reasonable; promptly attended to. Address 963 53 st.

RALSTON-KAFFEE is and is not coffee. Ralston-Kaffee has the aroma of coffee, Ralston-Kaffee is a nerve builder; Ralston-Kaffee is a breakfast delight. For information about Ralston-Kaffee address or call, Ralston-Kaffee Health Food Co., room 502, Central Bank bldg.

MARKET Station Ice Cream Parlors. Home made candies, ice cream made and delivered; bouillon 10c; chocolate and cakes 15c; 999 Seventh st.; Market street station.

FRESH FISH every day; oysters, clams, shrimps, crabs, live and dressed poultry; delivery free. J. L. Thorp, 1205 4th st., opposite Adeline station.

DO YOU want a bicycle? Do you want to sell one? Have you a fire-proof safe you wish to dispose of? Advertise your wants in the Tribune Classified.

MRS. M. A. CAHILL—Stamping and embroidery, accordion knife pleating and plaiting. Lessons given in fancy work. Stationery, calling cards. Employment office. Agency United States Laundry 1215 Broadway.

NOTICE—To buyers of household goods: Patronize the old reliable firm of H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st. You will find goods just as represented. Our motto: "Do as you would be done by."

LADIES HAIR DRESSING—Have your hair dressed at your home; prompt attention to orders and best of service rendered, newest and latest styles. Mrs. H. A. Azmon, 926 12, Seventh street.

HAIR DRESSING PARLORS—New process facial steaming, shampooing, Mme. Demorest's face powder. Special price Thursday, facial steaming, 50c. Mrs. Minnie Allen, rooms 411-412 Central Bank building. Elevator.

NOTICE the display of household goods at H. Schellhaas' store, 20 per cent cheaper than former prices. If you are in want of a holiday present see us at 408 11th st.

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ATTORNEYS.

A. A. MOORE JR.—Attorney and counselor, with dist. atty. Court House.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices Court building, SE cor. Broadway and 8th sts.

CARLTON W. GREENE—Attorney-at-law, with dist. atty. Court House.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

DODGE & FRY—Attorneys-at-law, 908 Broadway, rooms 21 and 22, Blake & Moffitt building.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law, office of prosecuting atty., City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FRANK W. SAWYER—Attorney-at-law, 908 Broadway, rooms 72-3-4, Oakland.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 908 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 908 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 35.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 4.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 891 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 917 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, dist. atty's office, Court House.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

W. F. ARAM—Attorney-at-law, 856 Broadway.

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FOR SALE—Candy, potion, cigar and coffee parlor, good bargain. Apply at Smith's Employment office, 17th st. and Telegraph av.

STYLISH gentle horse for sale; reasonable, by party going East. Address J P box 1, Tribune.

FOR SALE—At reduced rates; lamps of all descriptions and styles, oil stoves 75 cents up, have you seen our 50 cent lamp and heater combined? Just the thing for a sick room. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

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A YOUNG girl wishes a situation to assist in house work. Apply 1649 Union st.

GOOD COOK wants a position in private family; good references. Address 513 9th st., cor. Washington.

SITUATION wanted by a Swedish girl as cooking or general housework. Good wages. Address 852 12th st.

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SMITH'S—Employment and house renting Agency, cor. 17th st. and Telegraph av., help of all descriptions and nationalities; those having homes to let please call and give particulars.

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WANTED—Danish, German, Scotch and Scandinavian girls for cooks and general housework, good wages. Call at Hair Store, 1153 Washington st.

SITUATIONS WANTED MALE.

SITUATION as fireman or engineer; can do some carpet fitting. Address R. 10 owl 52d st., Oakland.

A YOUNG Japanese wants a situation of any kind of housework, no objection to light or hard. Address H. Takenaka, 75 Castro st.

BY a practical gardener, any wages; understands gardening and horses thoroughly. Address Albert Hoffman, this office.

AGENTS WANTED.

WANTED—Oakland agent with some capital for '96 line of cycles; direct from factory; ten models. Address Cycles, box 655, Station B, Oakland, Cal.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

MRS. CATTELL—525 8th st.; German, Scandinavian and all nations, male or female references cooks, second girls, nurses, waitresses, coachmen, gardeners, etc., awaiting work. Telephone 543.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—$5 Reward—On last Saturday evening an engraved silver open-faced watch with short gold chain and tassel. Reward will be paid on return of same to J. H. Walbridge with Phelan & Fish, 11th st., Oakland.

LOST—Saturday P. M. at Teachers' Association Town leather purse containing about $8, several receipts, and a Mechanics' Library ticket, No. 2128, bearing owner's name. Please return to 2265 Grove st.

LOST—On New Years' Day, locket with diamond set in gold; suitable reward if returned to J. Cal Ewing, Co. Clerk's office, Oakland.

LOST—Sunday evening, a setter dog with brown and cream colored spots. Return to Mrs. Lukens, 1350 Madison st. and receive reward.

LOST—Dec. 22, from buggy bet. Fashion stables and 8th and Telegraph av., black plush wrap, trimmed with beads and violets. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Fashion stables, Broadway, near 8th st.

LOST—Dec. 30th, a pair of gold framed eye-glasses, bet. 1009½ Washington and 908 Washington, or in latter building. Please return to Colusa House, room 1, and receive liberal reward.

LOST, Sat. Dec. 21st, on 4:30 boat or 5 o'clock train, black leather purse with name, Mrs. J. D. Gerichten, containing money and key from Davis Bros., S. F. Return to 1262 8th st. and receive reward.

LOST—Either at Becker's market or bet. Dore and 14th sts. a red leather purse. Apply No. 82 Telegraph av. and receive reward.

BORN handled umbrella with silver band, left in large car (S. L. & H. line) at 5 P. M. Thursday, 7th and Washington sts. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Whitney Express office.

LOST—A pug dog, answers to name of Toots; under rewarded by returning to 527 Caledonia av.

DRESSMAKERS.

ATTENTION LADIES.

Mrs. M. J. Robinson has opened her dressmaking parlors. The most stylish cutting, designing and finishing are done. First class findings furnished, goods if required. Suits well made from $5 to $10. No. 617 San Pablo av., Oakland, Cal.

THE ORLEANS millinery and dressmaking parlors, 111 Telegraph av.; patterns cut to tailor measurement. Mme. Du Shane.

FANCY WAISTS and wrappers made and general family sewing done at very low prices or in families at $1 per day by Mrs. M. I. Shields, 919 Alice st., Oakland.

A DRESSMAKER desires a few engagements by the day; ladies', children. Stylish. Best references. $1.50 a day. 1465 12th av., East Oakland.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

EDWIN J. BOYES, M. D.—Office cor. 13th and Clay sts.; telephone 813; residence telephone 307; hours 11 A. M. to 12 M.; 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

DR. MARTIN, 1136 Broadway; office practice; chronic diseases a specialty hours 10 to 12 and 1 to 4; free treatment to the sick who are unable to pay for medical treatment Tuesdays and Fridays, 11 to 12.

D. D. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon; office Central block, 1068 Broadway, Oakland.

J. MAHER, M. D.—Physician and surgeon 1068 Broadway; hours 2 to 3:30, 7 to 8.

WILLIAM B. CHURCH—Physician and surgeon; hours 10 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 and 6:30 to 7:30 P. M.; patients received and cared for by trained nurses at office and residence, 520 10th st.

PHYSICIANS and oculists of repute have their cards in Tribune Classified.

MEDICAL.

A BLESSING—To ladies; instant relief for monthly irregularities (from whatever cause); longest established and most experienced ladies' physicians in San Francisco, who restore all cases at once by an improved and painless method, superior to all others; ladies who are sick or in trouble will save time and money and be assured of honest treatment by consulting the doctors before calling elsewhere; patients who have been imposed upon or unsuccessfully treated by others especially invited board and skillful attention during confinement in private house where ladies will find all the comforts and privacy of a refined home, with the attendance of a regular physician, competent nurses and a mother's careful and kindly supervision; all treatment warranted; advice free and confidential. Dr. and Mrs. Davies, 14 McAllister st., San Francisco; hours 10 A. M. to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

DRS. GOODWIN makes a specialty of diseases of women and restores all cases of irregularity in one day, guaranteeing a cure or no charge; home for patients; best skill; medical attendance; low fees; regulator $2. 1370 Market st., S. F.

DRS. C. C. & G. W. O'DONNELL—Office and residence, 704 Washington st., near Kearney, and 755 Market st., San Francisco, office hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., and 7 to 8 P. M.; particular attention paid to diseases of women and children.

ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS.

McMANUS & STANLEY—Architects and superintendents. Rooms 26 and 27, Canning block, 1115 Broadway.

OCULISTS AND AURISTS.

B. T. MOUSER, M. D.—Eye, ear, nose and throat, 1115 Broadway.

REAL ESTATE.

BARNARD'S CORNER.

PASSING THE TWO HUNDRED MILLION MARK.

The Insurance Spectator of this city alludes to the fact that The Mutual Life has passed the two hundred million dollar mark in its payments for death claims and endowments, the payments being on November 9th, $163,675,111 for death claims and $36,250,840, for endowments, a total of $200,025,951. The Spectator says:

It is a difficult matter to comprehend the immensity of this sum which has been distributed in but little over half a century by this one company, and when one considers the vast amount of good that this sum has accomplished, the many homes that have been brightened even in the darkest hours, the hundreds of people who have been provided with support in their declining years and the habits of thrift that have been inculcated by the necessity of saving to pay premiums the only conclusion to arrive at is that life insurance is the greatest economic and beneficent factor of the age. Nor is this sum of $200,000,000, large enough as it is, all that The Mutual Life has paid out for fully another $200,000,000 has been distributed to annuitants, to living policy holders as dividends and to withdrawing members as surrender values. And besides all these payments The Mutual Life still has on hand more than another $200,000,000 for the present and future protection of its policy holders, the total sum of $400,000,000 exceeding by about $75,000,000 the amount paid to the company by its members.

W. E. BARNARD, Agent.

NINE PER CENT INCOME IN A FIRST CLASS BUSINESS BLOCK.

The best paying business property in Oakland in a splendid location for business; always occupied.

SIX STORES.
THREE FLATS.
LARGE HALL.

PRICE $25,000.
INCOME $2,240.

If you want to place your money where it is absolutely safe, and where you may combine a large steady income with a constant increase in value, you will investigate this proposition.

W. E. BARNARD & SON,
455 Ninth Street.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

FOR RENT—A large furnished sunny front room. Apply 811 Alice st., S. E. corner 7th.

FOR RENT—Double parlors, nicely furnished; references exchanged. No. 664 8th st.

N. B.—A lady would like to give music lessons or do fine mending in exchange for a sunny room and board. Could pay some money also. Address D, box 217, Oakland Postoffice.

FURNISHED flats of 3 rooms, or will rent single; 556 20th st. Sunny side st.

SUNNY furnished or unfurnished rooms for housekeeping, very central location, rent reasonable, 411 9th st.

THREE or four furnished rooms to rent, located in central part of town near Narrow Gauge depot; 225 9th st. Hot and cold water. All conveniences.

A LADY owning her own house in a fine and convenient locality would rent a large, handsomely furnished, sunny front room, with or without board. All conveniences. Address X. Y. Z., box 3, Tribune.

THE best way to find something you have lost is to advertise in Tribune Classified.

ROOMS WANTED.

STORE—Three rooms connecting, store and small flat; must be centrally located and cheap. F. J. Arnold, 7 Flood building, S. F.

WANTED—Sunny quiet room for an old gentleman. Address W. L. G., Tribune.

FLATS TO RENT.

SIX ROOM—House; hot and cold water; stationary tubs; bath; $15, will sell new California range set up and connected, cheap. 364 2d st.

HOUSES TO RENT.

TO LET—House of 9 rooms including bath, 715 5th st., near Washington. Apply at office of Oakland Journal, cor. 7th and Webster sts.

TO LET—Fine house of 12 rooms, all modern conveniences, 973 5th av., key next door, cor. house. Rent reasonable.

$12 A MONTH for furnished cottage, near two lines of cars; stable chicken yard, flowers; everything complete, or will sell on easy terms. Inquire F. Springsteen, 1055 Broadway, room 1.

LOVE in a cottage. You can take your pick of a hundred cottages by reading Tribune Classified.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

LA CLEDE HOTEL—Sunny offices and furnished rooms with or without board, to let; single or en suite, at reasonable rates; centrally located to both trains and street railways. Apply 1116 Broadway st., Oakland.

ROOM and board can be had in private boarding house, pleasant sunny rooms, heated by furnace. References, 1401 Alice st.

PLEASANT home, near business center; sunny rooms, pleasant grounds and excellent table. 1566 E. 12th st., cor. 36 av.

HALES TO LET.

GRAND Army Hall to let one night a week. Apply Chas. Jurgens, 1116 Bdwy.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MADAME NELSON reads head and palm, also cards, tells past, present, future; consultation on all affairs; prices 50 cents; several hundred recommendations; 905 Washington, cor. 8th st.

MRS. HENDEE ROGERS—Psychometrist. Test and healing medium. Sittings daily. Cir. Mon., Fr. eve's. 462 9th st., Henry House.

MRS. MAY—Genuine clairvoyant; born with a veil; a trustworthy friend to persons in danger or misfortune; anxious to see their way out of trouble; not to be classed with untruthful pretenders and charlatans; fees reasonable; advice on business matters a specialty; letters answered. 843 Franklin.

DENTISTS.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

FANCY ROCKERS—All prices and grades, tables, chairs and fancy goods for presents, come and see us. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

CITY REAL ESTATE IMPROVED.

IN SAN FRANCISCO—3 fine lots and house, rents $5; price $650, first applicant as the preference. Address box 2242, San Francisco.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, a 6 room modern cottage with 2 attic rooms, lot 71½x100 on east side of Harrison near the corner of 5th st., Oakland. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 E. 12th st., E. C.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

GEO. B. M. GRAY—Real estate broker; houses rented and built. 465 9th st.; telephone No. 224.

F. C. WATSON—Real estate broker 468 9th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.—Real estate, houses built for sale on installment plan and to rent. 467 9th st.

ALDEN & GARFIELD—Money brokers; houses built on the installment plan; tel. 819. 902 Broadway.

CHEAP land: Illustrated book for 2c. M. I. Griffin, Cottonwood, Shasta Co., Cal.

H. B. PINNEY—Lots $150, $1 a week. 902 Broadway.

W. L. PRATHER—Real estate, notary public, insurance broker. 478 10th st.

JAMES S. NAISMITH—Real estate broker and notary public. Tel. 478. 463 9th st.

J. W. MOSS—Real estate, notary public; money to loan. 968 Broadway bet. 9th and 10th sts.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A large male dog cheap for cash. J. P. B., box 4, Tribune.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

O. I. DENISON—Notary public, real estate; houses rented. 472 10th st.

REMOVED—N. W. Winton, notary public and dealer in real estate, has removed to 968 Broadway between 9th and 10th. Call and see his list of properties.

REAL ESTATE.

LAYMANCE

REAL ESTATE & INVESTMENT CO.,

NO. 466 8TH ST., OAKLAND, CAL.

$6000—Completely furnished, price reduced from $8500; 2 story, 9 rooms and bath, lot 50x125; Myrtle st., near 10th; special bargain. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3100—2 story, 8 room house, just completed; lot 37½x125; very cheap place and extraordinary easy terms. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$500 CASH, $1250—Balance monthly; just completed; 8 room residence; lot 34x135; 12th st., local cars, 5 blocks of local. A complete home. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$4500—Lovely new 10 room colonial residence just completed, replete with every modern convenience; within 7 blocks of 14th and Broadway; exceptional location terms to good parties $500 cash; see at once. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$4000—New modern residence 8 rooms and bath, 5 minutes walk of 14th and Broadway; choicely located; terms only $500 cash. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$750—A bargain, cottage of 4 rooms, high basement and stable; lot 50x122, 2 blocks of Fruitvale av. cars; price reduced from $1250, terms to good party. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3000—Make offer; estate must be closed; 6 room cottage with lot 100x122 exclusively located at Center st. station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Company, 466 8th st. 100A

$10 CASH—$7.50 per month, buys a choice lot 25x135; price $500; street sewered and within 3 blocks of Fruitvale station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

Properties shown and information cheerfully given.
Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.

REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
467 NINTH STREET.

FOR RENT, $20—House of 6 rooms and bath on corner of 21st and West sts.

FOR RENT, $18—On north side of 24th st. east of San Pablo av.; owner will repair and put same in good condition.

$5000 TO LOAN—In terms of $500 to $1000 on improved suburban real estate or city property.

MINING AND REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

ROOM 15, 825 BROADWAY.

EXCHANGES made for any kind of property.

GOLD GRAVEL MINE wanted in exchange for clear land, house or lots.

LOAN WANTED on clear land or lots.

EXCHANGE Shares of Fish valley land for house, lots of gold gravel claim will assume mortgage.

PIANO wanted in exchange for land or lots.

RICHARD J. MONTGOMERY,

Notary Public, Real Estate Loans and Insurance.

905 Wash. st. Tel. 255. P. O. box 224.

A CHEAP investment; $1000 for 2 cottages and large lot, 10 minutes' ride with choice of two electric car lines to local trains; annual rental income, $120.

A CHANCE for speculators and builders; 4 acres of choice suburban property facing on electric car lines, only 10 minutes ride to local trains or Oakland business, and well adapted for subdivision into lots; sold at bed rock for cash or exchanged for clear improved business or residence property.

CHOICE lots for sale on installments; remember the name and address.

MUSICAL.

WANTED—Boys and men with musical taste to fill vacancies in St. John's boy choir. Each boy receives a monthly remuneration. Apply any evening except Wednesday and Saturday at 629 11th st.

PROFESSIONAL teacher of piano; organ and singing; two lessons a week at $5 per month; either one; scholar of Prof. Mueller. Inquire at 271 9th st.

PROF. LOUIS EISENBACH—Graduate of Vienna Conservatory. Piano-forte, voice culture and opera. Brunswick Hotel, 9th and Washington.

MARION CLARK—Banjo, violin and mandolin teacher; banjo taught by Clark's simplified method; banjos reheaded and violin bows rehaired; all kinds of musical instruments repaired; music furnished for dancing. 1055 Broadway.

CITY REAL ESTATE UNIMPROVED.

"WHERE ARE YOU GOING
my pretty maid?"
"I'm going to the Fruitvale
Terminal Tract, sir,"
she said, (to buy a lot).

Lots $100 up; very easy terms. D. Pratt, Fruitvale station. The McCarthy Co., San Francisco.

SEARCHERS OF RECORDS.

DURAY SMITH—Searcher of records and conveyancer, Alameda county. Office 495 9th st., bet. Broadway and Washington sts., Oakland.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in sums to suit on property; 8 per cent. G. G. Baker, 962 Bdy.

OAKLAND COLLATERAL Loan Co., 925 Broadway, near 9th st.; liberal advances on diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, pianos, guns.

MONEY TO LOAN in sums to suit at reasonable rates. Prime bargains in real estate; houses to rent. D. F. McDonald & Co., No. 463 9th st.

CIVIL ENGINEERS.

T. W. MORGAN and Ross Morgan, civil engineers, room 57, Macdonough block, Oakland; room 150, Crocker building, San Francisco.

PIANO TUNERS.

R. F. HORNING for fourteen years with A. Bruenn, the only piano maker in Oakland; repairing a specialty. 1059 Franklin bet. 11th and 12th sts.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

A DRY TRIP across the bay; best wines, liquors, mineral waters and fresh beer on tap, together with best cigars and bounteous lunch at the Alameda Exchange. No. 7 Market st., San Francisco. Peter Harder, proprietor.

SCHLITZ MILWAUKEE BEER depot; C. H. Kuchs, proprietor. 468 12th st. Oakland; private entrance for ladies.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the seventh annual meeting of the stockholders of the San Francisco and Oakland Mutual Loan Association will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 524 Montgomery street, San Francisco, on Wednesday, January 8, 1896, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, presentation of the seventh annual report, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. All stockholders are earnestly requested to attend, as matters of importance will come before the meeting.

Books are now open for subscription to 1000 shares of stock of the eighth series. Loans made in San Francisco and Alameda counties only. Interest 6 per cent per annum, free of mortgage taxes; premium 20 per cent gross or 50 cents per share installments, at pleasure of borrower, which amounts to $12.50 per month for each $1000, net cash received by the borrower, this sum paying both principal and interest. Loans may be paid at any time desired.

By order of the Board of Directors.
THOMAS J. WELSH, President.
A. SBARBORO, Secretary.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all tax payers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895.

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896 for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County, at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1888, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 28, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:

Bond numbered One, one year from date.

Bond numbered Two, two years from date.

Bond numbered Three, three years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.

Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.

All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

F. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk.
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Green, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John Green deceased, and for the issuance to Anna Green of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, December 26, 1895.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Mullany, Grant & Cushing, attorneys for petitioners, 104 Sutter street, San Francisco, California.

PROBATE NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Harriet A. Sears, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Harriet A. Sears, deceased, and for the issuance to Lizzie Sears Gerberding and Egbert H. Stone of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, Oakland, January 3, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Reed & Nusbaumer, attorneys for petitioners.

NOTICE OF SALE!

One heifer, the property of James H. Swift, pastured on the Hewston ranch, Alameda County, California, will be sold at the Hewston ranch ten days after date to pay pasturage and advertising charges on same.

S. E. HEWSTON.
Oakland, January 2, 1896.

LEGAL.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

Advertisement for Plans and Specifications.

Notice is hereby given that the regents of the University of California will receive at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Regents in South Hall, in Berkeley, Alameda County, on or before 12 o'clock M. of January 17th, 1896, plans and specifications in detail for three buildings to be erected in San Francisco, grouped together in one harmonious design on the site selected by said Regents for the use of the Affiliated Colleges and Departments conducted in San Francisco.

The amount appropriated to be expended for the erection of said buildings is $500,000; and $125,000 thereof is available for the 17th fiscal year and $125,000 thereof is available for the 18th fiscal year.

The sum of $500 will be awarded to the architect whose plans and specification may be adopted as a premium and full compensation therefor, provided that upon the adoption of such plans and specifications said architect execute and file with the Board of Regents of the University of California a good and sufficient bond with two sureties to the penal sum of $100,000 to be approved by the said Board, or its duly authorized agent therefor, conditioned that within 30 days from the date of said bond said architect will furnish to him or enter into a contract containing such provisions and conditions as said Board of Regents may require, and also conditioned that he will give such further bond to secure the faithful performance of said contract, with such securities as may be required of him in the event that said Board of Regents should within 90 days require said architect to enter into such contract to erect said buildings at a price named by him to be expended for the erection of said buildings.

This advertisement is made under and pursuant to an act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to regulate the erection of Public Buildings and Structures" approved April 1st, 1872, (Stat. of 1871-2, p. 925,) which Act is hereby referred to and made a part of this advertisement.

By authority of the Board of Regents.
Dated December 16, 1895.
J. H. C. BONTE,
Secretary of the Board of Regents.
Berkeley, December 18, 1895.

POSTPONEMENT.

All persons interested are hereby notified that the time for receiving said plans and specifications mentioned in the above advertisement is hereby postponed and extended until 12 o'clock M. of January 31, 1896.

And further, that all the information possessed by the committee as to the site of said buildings and the requirements of said Affiliated Colleges and other departments of the University, can be had by personal application at the office of Regent Reinstein, No. 217 Sansome street, San Francisco, and at the office of the Secretary at Berkeley, California.

By direction of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings.
J. H. C. BONTE,
Secretary Board of Regents.
Dated Berkeley, December 28, 1895.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS' SAVINGS BANK,
of Oakland, California.

For the six months ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, payable on and after Thursday, the 2d day of January next. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of dividend as the principal, from January 1, 1896.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—MUTUAL SAVINGS Bank of San Francisco, 32 Post st.—For the half year ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-fifth (4.20) per cent per annum on time deposits and three and one-half (3.50) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, Jan. 2, 1896.

GEORGE A. STORY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street. For the half year ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and twenty-six hundredths (4 26-100) per cent per annum on term deposits, and three and fifty-five hundredths (3 55-100) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, Jan. 2, 1896.

GEORGE TOURNEY, Secretary.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE UNION Savings Bank, Oakland, California. A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1895, at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1896.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

MEETING NOTICES.

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 148 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Thursday, the 16th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of
EDSON P. ADAMS President.
James C. McKee, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal., December 26, 1895. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth streets, Oakland, on Monday, January 13, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

ANNUAL MEETING.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Macdonough—"1492."
Oakland—"The Train Wreckers."
California—Vaudeville.
Baldwin—"Daughters of Eve."
Columbia—"The Lost Paradise."
Tivoli—"Ixion."
Morosco's—"The Fugitive."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Alcazar—"My Precious Baby."

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. JANUARY 8, 1896.

Northern California — Unsettled weather and probably showers tonight and Wednesday in the northern portion, warmer in the extreme eastern portion tonight, southeasterly winds.

Southern California—Fair; stationary temperature; light easterly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Increasing cloudiness; conditions uncertain for Wednesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds.

A. M'ADIE, Local Forecast Official.

TUESDAY.....JANUARY 7, 1896.

The citrus growers of Southern California have poked a great deal of fun at the citrus growers of Northern California. Now the joke is on the other side. A Chico paper extends a cordial invitation to the orange growers of Riverside to move up into Butte county, where the thermometer never falls below 30 degrees. They can save about 10 degrees of cold by such a movement.

The New York World has a way of putting important facts into the space of a nut shell. Here is a good illustration. "In February last some sixty-odd millions of thirty-year 4 per cent bonds of the United States were privately sold to a syndicate of bankers at 104½. They were worth in the open market about 120. Shortly afterwards the syndicate bankers divided these bonds among themselves at the nominal price of 112½. The moment the securities were placed upon the market the price rose to 116½@118. A little later it was 120. On December 21 they were worth 119. After the Jingo message was sent to Congress they declined to 116 and 116½. Now that the war craze is over they have recovered to 118."

The San Diego Union in its New Year's edition, besides writing up that city as it deserves, dwells on the prospects of a great lemon production in that county, which already leads all others in this respect. In lemon growing San Diego county takes the lead of any section of the entire country. In the frostless belt that skirts this magnificent bay and extends for some miles back into the country, the finest lemons raised in the United States—as fine, in fact, as any produced on the shores of the Mediterranean—are grown to perfection. At present there are about 52,000 lemon trees bearing in this favored locality, but the vast progress which the industry is making may be judged from the fact that there are 378,000 trees of this fruit which are not yet bearing, many of which were set out during the past year. At the present ratio of production only two or three years will have passed before this county will have 2000 car loads of this fruit to supply to the outside world.

This story is located down in New Jersey. There is a clergyman down there who has just received an unusual Christmas gift. "He has charge of churches in two neighboring towns, the result being that, in the place where he doesn't live, he has been in the habit of cutting short his Sunday evening sermons in order to catch a train and get home that night. His congregation (evidently) like his discourses and grudge consequently their being shortened up. So they put their heads together to see what could be done. As a result, when the Christmas festival was held at this church and the children were merrymaking over the presents, something else happened. There was a great noise on the wooden steps outside, the doors being flung open, and up the aisle stamped a fine bay horse led by two boys in livery. Thereupon the Sunday school superintendent explained to the astonished pastor that the animal was for him and for nobody else; it being hoped that with this bucephalic aid he might ignore trains and give his flock a full dose of the gospel."

Death of John W. Coleman.

The demise of this well known citizen of Oakland will surprise many who had known him as an active business man. Mr. Coleman's residence was on Eighth street, in this city. A few weeks ago, he took up his winter residence, with his family, at the Palace hotel in San Francisco. The deceased had been engaged in many important business enterprises. He was for some years president of the North Pacific Coast Railroad Company, conducting its business with signal ability, until he sold his interest therein. He was one of the chief promoters of the Oakland Consolidated Road, extending from this city to Berkeley. He was a large stockholder in the Oakland Gas Company, and on the death of Joseph Eastland succeeded him as president of that company. The deceased had also been successfully engaged in several mining enterprises.

For several years past Mr. Coleman had been a director of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution at Berkeley. He took great interest in all the affairs of that institution. His business sagacity and wise counsel were highly appreciated by his associate directors. He was regarded in all his business relations as a shrewd, conservative man of great executive ability. He had acquired a fortune and had begun to take life with the most comfortable environment when his sudden demise occured. The deceased had by his investments of capital in many local enterprises contributed much to the prosperity of Oakland. His death is a public loss.

Has Spain Lost Cuba?

If the report is true that the revolutionists have entered Havana, then Spain has lost Cuba. For some days past the Cubans have been within a few miles of that city. The Spanish general had apparently made his last stand in Havana. It is only a short time since reports were sent out by the royalists that the revolutionists were in a desperate way and could not hold out much longer. There is good reason to believe that for the last six months or more the Cubans had made steady progress towards a final victory. Whenever they met the royalists in an open field the latter were defeated, or, what amounted to the same thing, were forced to retreat. The Cubans have gained their victories at much less loss of life than was suffered on the other side. But in the last six months they have laid waste many of the best sugar plantations on the island.

What will follow the defeat of the royalists? They have been represented by nearly a hundred thousand fighting men. There has been no lack of treasure. Spain sent her best troops to conquer Cuba, which she had long designated "the ever faithful isle." It may be that the end of Spanish administration has not yet come, but the end in Cuba cannot be far off. The Cubans long ago drafted a constitution, which had received the signatures of all the leading revolutionists. That constitution establishes a republic. Having fought their way to independence, the first nation to recognize the new republic will probably be the United States. Then all the Latin Republics of North and South America will probably fall into line. It will make little difference whether the Cubans are acknowledged in Europe. Cuba has no navy and very little money. The Hawaiian republic has no navy and gets along very well without one. Perhaps Cuba will never need one larger than the Haytien Republic now supports, whose ships are seldom seen in foreign waters.

If Cuba reaches the condition of actual independence, it will be largely due to the aid that has been rendered by citizens of the United States. While not many Americans have enlisted in the army of the revolutionists on account of the climate, there has been a constant transmission of the best small arms from this country. The Cubans announced a year ago that they did not lack men; all they wanted was a good supply of small arms. They fought with machetes and every rude implement they could find until nearly every man had put into his hands a repeating rifle. When this advantage had been gained there appeared to be a steady decline in the work of subjugation. The revolutionists more than held their own. They made steady advances towards a final victory. The Republic of Cuba is today something more than a dream.

Gov. Budd Looks Into the School Books.

Some years ago the strife among school book publishers and the tricks of the trade were so annoying that it was determined to set up an establishment at Sacramento and manufacture school books. It was assumed by some that a bran new home-made article would meet the wants of the day. The schools would escape the annoyance of continual changes, and there would be peace.

The original plan was for the State authorities to select a series of books from the best that had already been published, buy the copy rights, and procure the publication at cost for the use of the schools. That was a simple plan free from all complications. It was afterwards decided that the State should go into the manufacture of school books, and that these should be published from the text prepared at home. Estimates were made of the large amounts that would be saved in this way. The schools would be supplied with better and cheaper books and everything would be lovely. After a while the first books began to appear. The mechanical work was so poor that many of the books rapidly dropped in pieces. There were many gross errors. When an effort was made to trace home the responsibility no one could be found willing to accept it. The soothing reply generally was that there was a great gain for the public in the present plan of publication.

If a commission of the best educators in the State had been authorized to revise the books and to throw out such as were radically imperfect, there might have been little occasion to complain of bad work. Just what Prof. Lange of the University of California had done in the one instance of a text book referred to him could have been done by a commission of such men. Errors could have been pointed out, revisions made, and the best educational talent of the State brought in to secure a series of perfect text books. The Governor is probing just now on the financial side, but has not yet touched the bottom of a very unsatisfactory business.

The Old Game of Conquest.

From the disclosures that have already been made it is morally certain that Great Britain intended at no distant day to absorb the Dutch Republic of South Africa. The initiative was taken at Cape Town. The South African Company invaded the Transvaal with 700 armed men. It was expected that there would be a rally of English forces at Johannesburg and that the Boers would be forced to submit to superior numbers.

It was the old plan of conquest. The British government, behind an incorporated trading company, could at any time disavow invasion. If any dangerous question arose. The truth is the British have long coveted the whole of South Africa. The Boers and the Germans have been the chief obstructions. These appear just now to be making common cause against British aggression. The latter has carried its conquest beyond the Dutch Republic into Mashonaland by precisely the same means that were employed to invade the Transvaal.

When the German Emperor sent his congratulations to the President of the Transvaal that he had successfully resisted British invasion, the latter considered the message as little short of an insult. The fact is brought into the foreground that the proceeding is one of national consequence. Germany will stand by the Dutch Republic. There can be no British invasion without encountering a power that on the land is stronger than Great Britain. It is not probable that there will be any war, but there will be the usual amount of British bluster. The Boers will perhaps make some concessions. But they will govern the Transvaal. The assembling of ships at Cape Town and the mobilization of forces in the colony as if war might be the last resort, have little more than a temporary significance. Great Britain will not fight Germany and the Dutch of South Africa.

Will the new woman take any interest in leap year? The Washington Star brings out the old legend about St. Patrick and leap year at the time he was Christianizing Ireland: "The legend runs that, having accomplished this most praiseworthy feat, the holy man was walking along the shores of Lough Neagh when he was addressed by St. Bridget, weeping because there was a mutiny in the institution over which she presided. Her charges had claimed the right to 'pop the question.' St. Patrick acknowledged the general justice of their demands, and said he would grant the right to propose every seventh year. St. Bridget protested that her girls would never be content with such a proposal, whereupon St. Patrick agreed to reduce the time to four years and offered, in the bargain, a select leap year, the longest year of all, as that in which women might propose. That identical year being provided with an extra day, St. Bridget immediately inaugurated the custom by proposing to St. Patrick, who, of course, declined in deference to his priestly occupation. St. Bridget protested that this was a violation of the bargain, and a compromise was finally reached by which St. Patrick escaped from matrimony by giving a kiss and a silk gown, which for centuries formed the penalty paid by a man who declined a woman's proposal."

This news comes from Washington: "A disagreement has arisen in the First Presbyterian church of Washington between Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage and the assistant pastor, Rev. Adolos Allen, over which a special meeting of the Washington Presbytery will be called. When Dr. Talmage came to the church recently it was arranged that he should preach Sunday evenings, while Dr. Sunderland, with whom he was made co-pastor, should alternate in the pulpit Sunday mornings with Mr. Allen, the assistant pastor. The church has been crowded on Sunday evenings since Dr. Talmage began to preach, and there is a demand that he should hold the pulpit twice on Sundays. Offers have also come from other churches for Dr. Talmage's services on Sunday morning. He has announced to the elders that he desires to preach twice each Sunday, that he is able to, and that the pressure on him seems a providential call. The elders have the same opinion." Mr. Allen stands upon his rights as defined in his contract and does not see why he should be crowded out of his pulpit because Talmage wants it for exploiting twice a day.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

A foot race from Marathon to Athens, twenty-six miles, probably in memory of Phidippides, will be one of the features of the Olympic games, which begin on April 5 and continue till April 15. They will include, besides foot and cycle races, long and high jumps, pole vault, putting the weight, fencing, shooting, tennis, cricket, football, gymnastics, swimming, and yacht races. Eight hundred German gymnastic societies are going to enter the games.

An instance of how savages disregard pain comes from Nyassaland. A cartridge dropped in the camp fire exploded, injuring the hand of one of Mr. H. H. Johnston's porters, so that the doctor amputated the man's fingers and thumb. As he seemed weak from the effects of the chloroform, he was told to stay in the hospital and come for treatment next day. In the morning he could not be found, and it was afterward discovered that he had taken up his load with the other carriers and carried it to Blantyre, over forty miles away.

An incident in illustration of a small trick said to be not infrequently played by coyotes in securing food from among the herds of sheep on Western ranches is related by a rancher of Grant county, Or. He had a herd of about 1,900 sheep, and recently missed a large number. In searching for them a herder found three sheep lying on the brink of a precipice, their throats marked with the teeth of a coyote. He made his way to the bottom of a canyon, 300 feet below, and there found the bodies of 110 sheep, or rather parts of their bodies, for the coyotes had been feeding on the carcasses for a week or more. From other incidents of like character it was concluded that several coyotes had got among the herd when the sheep were driven off their bedding ground during a storm, and had herded them to the brink of the precipice, much as a lot of dogs would drive sheep. When the edge was reached the coyotes pressed the herd so hard in the rear that the 110 at the front either jumped or were pushed over the precipice.

A new woman movement which was started recently in Worcester Mass., has been scotched by the municipal authorities. During the hard times of the past year or so a great many girls started in the business of selling newspapers on the streets, and soon the newsboys were hard pressed and in danger of being driven out of the business. It has just been determined not to allow girls to sell papers on the streets, because of the physical hardships and discomforts, and of the evil influences to which they are exposed.

Little Grand Duchess Olga of Russia was taken from the Alexander Palace to be christened at Zarskoe Selo in a state carriage built in 1709 for Catherine I. It is heavily gilt, decorated with red velvet. The harness is studded with diamonds. The coach was used at the coronation of Alexander II. in 1856 and at that of Alexander III. in 1883.

At Blackwall the largest battle ship in the world is nearly ready for launching. It was built for the Japanese government, and will be called the Fuji, instead of Fusi Yama, as originally intended. It is a battle ship with Harveyized steel armor, 400 feet long, 75 feet broad, and 44 feet deep.

Dr. Gaster has discovered in a heap of torn papers sent to him from Yemen, in Arabia, an ancient book of magic called "The Sword of Moses." It was written in a Syrian hand, the first part in Hebrew and the last in Aramaic. It will be published with a translation and fac-similes in the transactions of the Royal Asiatic Society.

More Beef.

In the most highly civilized European countries an increased consumption of animal food is regarded as a certain sign of national prosperity; and the inference is, for the most part, correctly drawn. The poor know full well that meats of various kinds enter largely into the diet of the rich; experience teaches them that a few ounces of beef or mutton are far more satisfying than any combination of vegetables, and, if their circumstances improve, they soon increase the supply of animal food for themselves and families. It has often been remarked that a decrease in the price of bread is followed not by increased consumption of that article, but by an increased demand for meat; the money saved in the expenditure on bread goes to procure a further supply of animal food. In certain classes of the community, not prone to exhibit much self-restraint, an enormous consumption of animal food is the invariable accompaniment of increased earnings. The old-fashioned contempt for foreigners was based, to some extent, on the belief that they could not be otherwise than miserable creatures because of the character of their diet. Martin Poyser, in "Adam Bede," well expresses the popular idea once entertained with regard to the French and their food: "They ne'er ate a bit o' beef i' their lives. Mostly sallet, I reckon."

If, however, all extreme cases be disregarded, and only moderate people of all ranks be taken into consideration, it will be found that the majority regard animal food as the staff of life, and vegetables of all kinds as more or less important accessories, but as serving mainly to dilute a diet which would otherwise be too strong for the system. Absolutely to exclude meat from our regular diet and to attempt to exist on vegetables alone, would be regarded by most persons as a sign of craziness and as certain to be followed by mental and physical degeneration.

Have just received a large assortment of early spring flowering bulbs. Now is the time to plant. H. M. Sanborn, 511

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"Dick," said he to a waiter, "I want a plate of cold turkey."

"Yes, sir," said the man as he moved away.

"And, Dick," said the Senator, calling him back.

"Yes, sir," said the waiter.

"I don't want it decorated with any of that d—d grass, either."

And so, when the plate of cold turkey appeared the usual garnishing of green parsley was omitted.—Washington Post.

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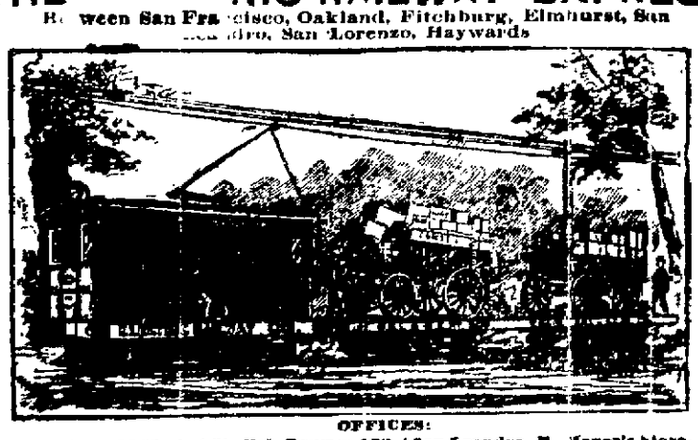
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Two Grand Specials. Good for double the money. First special—A Mousquetaire Glove in tans and red browns. Second special—4 (large) button Gloves in black and pearls, with black stitching. Till Saturday night or till sold, 50c.

Infants' Mittens at 15c and 10c

White Woolen, warm and good.

Ladies' Skirt Specials

Black Dresden Figured, Moreen at $1.00. A handsome, well wearing Skirt, formerly $1.50.

Black Sateen, English Embroidery in colors, $1.50. Our regular $2.50 Skirt.

Children's Reefers at 50c.

A neat Jacket in Navy, Garnet and Tan, sizes 4, 6 and 8, were $1.00 and $1.25

Children's Colored Cloaks

Every one in the house marked special. New prices run from 50c to $5.25. There are too many of them to quote prices on.

Traveling Bags

The finer grades being closed out at special prices.

Winter Underwear, 25c, 50c.

Ladies' Vests, camel's hair color, quite heavy, 25c.

Ladies' Vests, natural wool, mixed soft and good, 50c.

Children's Hosiery, 10c, 15c.

Narrow ribbed, fast black, sizes 5 to 8 in., at 10c. These are without seams and will wear well.

At 15c a pair, as good as you ever bought for 25c. Children's Seamless Fast Black Stockings, double knees, heels and toes, 6 to 9½ in.

Ladies' Over Gaiters

Or 7-Button Leggins, made of good cloth, this week at 20c a pair.

Muslin Underwear Samples

Gowns and Skirts. Grades worth from $2 to $10 regular, now $1.10 to $6.25 per garment. These are the very finest goods shown.

Embroideries

Every yard of embroidery in the house at a special price.

Veilings—Extra Special

For this week all 25c Veilings for 15c, all 50c Veilings for 30c. All new and choice styles.

Silk Specials

20-in. China Silk, all colors, at 20c a yard.

22-in. Drapery Silk, many designs, at 40c a yard

Yarn Slippers at 50c

With warm wool soles; not many left, so come early.

Silk Fringe at 5c a yard

Suitable for fancy work—Tidies, Mantle Drapes, etc., etc. Assorted colors

WHAT THEY SAY.

Some Words of Encouragement From Persons Whose Experience Is Valuable.

"Indigestion is the curse of this country," says a New York medical journal in a recent editorial. "Both men and women suffer from this distressing complaint and it causes a tremendous amount of misery."

This is all very true but there is no reason why any man or woman should suffer from indigestion when there is a ready means of preventing it. Thousands of people have discovered a sure cure for this much dreaded complaint and some of them have given the public the benefit of their experience.

Mrs. E. Tarlton, 347 Park avenue, Cincinnati, says: "I had dyspepsia for fifteen years and was entirely cured by taking Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. I had tried almost everything and know that this whiskey cures where all others fail. I am advising all my friends to use it."

W. F. Anderson, 617 West Indiana street, Chicago, says: "I used Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for indigestion and dyspepsia. My stomach is now in better condition than it has been for years past. Seven of my friends are using it with the same results."

These are only two cases selected from thousands of others but they are sufficient to prove that dyspepsia and indigestion can be always avoided by the regular use of Duffy's Pure Malt. It will not only keep the digestive organs in perfect condition but give tone and energy to every part of the body. There is no other whiskey like it; nothing else that can take its place. Therefore, make sure that you get no inferior imitation when purchasing from your grocer or druggist.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Benedicts' and Bachelors' Cotillon Club will not take place Wednesday evening on account of the death of J. W. Coleman. Miss Jessie Coleman was to have led.

Mrs. A. M. Meredith, who recently returned from an extended visit to New York, has gone to St. Helena, where she will spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. McKendrer.

Miss Owens of this city is visiting with Miss Georgie Smith of Stockton.

Miss Corliss is the guest of Miss Mae Baker of Stockton.

Mrs. Belle McCallum has returned to town, after a week's visit to Stockton.

Miss Carrie Bras arrived in Oakland today from Santa Cruz.

Misses Lena and Louise Meek have returned to their home in St. Helena after a pleasant visit in this city.

Miss Nellie Lynch returned from Redding Sunday to resume her duties as teacher in the Oakland school department.

J. B. Treadwell is in San Diego at the Brewster.

Albert Bader, who recently moved to this city from San Andreas, spent a few days of last week in Los Angeles.

Judge Sawyer has been visiting Alex Gordon at San Mateo. The two men were mining partners forty years ago.

Orvin Gowell, the well-known mining man of this section, is in Nevada City on mining business.

Conductor Eugene Merrill is the guest of his brother-in-law, Joseph Thompson, assistant superintendent of the Southern Pacific Company.

Miss Bertha Hall, recently a resident of Oakland, has returned to her old home in Stockton, where she will teach in the young ladies' seminary.

Mrs. Fred Pollard has returned to her home in Stockton after sending a few days in town.

W. D. Chamberlain is visiting in Santa Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheriff Veale of Contra Costa paid Oakland a short visit last week.

Professor J. E. Hayman, who with his wife attended the teachers' convention, left this morning for his home in Colusa.

Judge and Mrs. J. M. Gregory of Solano gave a party in honor of the Misses Craven of this city and C. Dole of Stanford at their Solano residence on Thursday evening of this week.

Miss Pearl Morgan of San Leandro is in town visiting friends.

Rev. Edwards Davis entertained the ministers of the Christian churches of Oakland and vicinity at his home on Fruitvale Heights yesterday at noon. This is the initial meeting of the Christian ministers for theological discussion and it proved a great success. Luncheon was served at noon which temporarily stopped the learned talk. Among those present were. Dr. W. C. Gardner and Rev. E. M. Campbell of San Francisco, Rector Henry V. Morgan of Alameda, Professor A. M. Elston of Berkeley, Evangelist S. M. Martin and Everson W. Mathews

The young men of the First M. E. church gave a "Cafe Bachelor" lunch to their young lady friends on New Year's day. In the afternoon a comic programme was rendered and in the evening a musical and literary entertainment was given. The supper which was served was cooked by the boys, and the way it disappeared spoke well for the young men as cooks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Daniels have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter Madeline to Charles Henry Starkweather. The wedding will take place at St. John's church, corner Eighth and Jefferson streets, on Sunday, January 12th, at high noon. After February 20th the happy couple will be at home on Wednesdays at 956 Twenty-eighth street.

Mills College opens again tomorrow.

Miss Mary Cook gave a lunch party Saturday at her home in East Oakland. The decorations for rooms and tables were red, presenting a very pretty appearance. Miss Cook's invited guests were Mrs. G. Lowell, Mrs. Crist, Mrs. W. Davis, Mrs. W. Street, Mrs. C. Riggs, Miss Alice Parson, Miss Sophie Green, Miss Annie Rogers, Miss Bertha Tum Suden, Miss Sophie Crist, Miss Annie McMinnamen, Miss Mary Metzgar, Miss Elsie Dorch, Miss Rhoda Hayes, Miss Andry Davis, Miss Annie Hayes, Miss Reed, Miss Tillie Dorch and Miss May Green.

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Public Administrator's Report.

TO THE HONORABLE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA: W. H. Knight, Public Administrator of said county respectfully makes this return of all estates of decedents which has come into his hands for the term commencing July 1, 1895, and ending January 1, 1896, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1730, Code of Civil Proceedure of California.

Number of Estate	Date of Issuance 1895	NAME OF DECEDENT.	Approximate Value of Estate as Far as Ascertained	Money Which Has Come into the Hands of the Public Administrator	Fees, Expenses, Funeral Expenses, Debts, Family Allowances, Paid by the Public Administrator	Balance of Money on Hand	Administration Fees Paid	Remarks.
4327	May 13,	T. J. Walsh						
4367	July 8,	Elizabeth L. Cook						In litigation.
4371	July 17,	Francis K. Hoag	$ 150 00	$ 3 70	$ 3 70			In litigation.
4382	July 23,	Jane Williams	1,349 08	149 08	129 00	$ 20 08	$50 00	
2819	July 21,	William P. Clark	2,250 86					
4397	Aug. 6,	Catherine Mann	7,061 60					
4405	Aug. 12,	Andrew Gram	1,161 30	1,161 30	478 07	683 23	78 00	All real estate.
4414	Aug. 20,	John Keller	7,210 36	1,210 90	180 54	1,030 36		
4419	Aug. 20,	William H. Scott						
4153	Sep. 3,	George M. Francis	28,049 36	1,545 17	513 72	981 45		
4433	Sep. 3,	John Curry Spiral						
1123	Sep. 16,	Frank W. Carniff						
4300	Sep. 16,	Louisa K. Gwynn	500 00					Undetermined interest in residue of estate.
4443	Sep. 30,	Gustav Johnson	226 80	26 80		6 80		In litigation.
4447	Oct. 8,	William F. Cashman						
4476	Oct. 8,	Frank X. Fischer, special						Contest pending.
4476	Oct. 21,	Frank X. Fischer						
4153	Nov. 4,	John F. Herrick	10,000 00	5,841 38	2,977 75	2,863 63		
4477	Nov. 11,	N. J. Connelly						Letters issued for litigation.
4480	Nov. 11,	George W. Tart						In litigation.
4498	Nov. 12,	F. G. Gallagher						Contest pending.
4499	Nov. 12,	E. G. Gallagher						In litigation.
2308	Nov. 12,	John Brady						In litigation.
4507	Nov. 18,	Dina G. Saks	2,655 25	2,655 25		2,655 25		In litigation.
1193	Dec. 2	Augusta Hartvie	400 00					
4529	Dec. 9,	W. H. Lewis	214 50	64 50		64 50		
4559	Dec. 16,	Andrew Patterson						Undivided interests in real estate.
4560	Dec. 16,	James McKeonn						Not yet received.
4542	Dec. 16,	A. J. Alver						Character of estate undetermined.
4551	Dec. 30,	Sarah J. Duffy						In litigation.
		Total	$55,838 88	$12,668 08	$ 4,352 78	$ 8,305 30		

State of California, County of Alameda, } ss.

W. H. Knight being first duly sworn according to law deposes and says that he is the Public Administrator of said Alameda County, that the foregoing is a full, true and correct return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the estates hereinbefore named; that he is not and was not at any time interested in the expenditure of any kind made on account of any estate he administers nor is he associated in business or otherwise with any one who is so interested.

W. H. KNIGHT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, A. D. 1896.

(Seal) F. J. WOODWARD.

Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda.

UNDER A NEW FLAG.

Berkeley's Lighting Franchise Goes to the Oakland Company.

BRITTON IS NOW PRESIDENT.

The Town Will Reap Material Benefits by the Change.

POLITICIANS ON THE ALERT.

The Postmastership the Plum They Are Eagerly Seeking.

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—At last the deal has been completed whereby the old management of the Berkeley Electric Light Company gives up its power and offices and the syndicate that is backing J. J. Mason came into control of the Board of Directors of the Berkeley company. Yesterday Mr. Mason succeeded in securing the entire 1000 shares of stock belonging to W. E. Sell. This gave his faction control of the company since they will own by this last sale 5,700 shares of the total 10,000 shares of stock. Altogether this is a big deal and means a great deal to the future of Berkeley.

The Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company which now comes into possession of the Berkeley plant and franchise at once proceeded to demonstrate their strength by the election of a new Board of Directors at a meeting held last evening.

Only one of the old directors, Anson S. Blake, vice president of the company, remains on the new board. W. E. Sells, the former president of the company, gives place to John A. Britton, the present secretary of the Oakland Light & Heat Works. The old Board which consists of W. E. Sell, Anson S. Blake, Theo. Wagner, C. S. Judson and J. George Gardiner, is replaced by John W. Coleman, John A. Britton, A. P. Eastland, Anson S. Blake and J. J. Mason.

At present the stock of the Berkeley company is not worth much, owing to the small population of the town, but the franchise is a valuable one, for the future as it gives a complete monopoly of the town in the lighting business. Thus the Oakland, Gas, Light and Heat Company will control the lighting of all the proposed greater Oakland and it is probably with this idea in mind that the change has been made in ownership.

THE POSTMASTER FIGHT.

There is great agitation just at present over the postmastership. The present occupant of the office, James McCarthy, thinks he has filled the position very satisfactorily and a long petition to President Cleveland asking that he be retained is strong evidence of his popularity. There are numerous candidates though, also seeking the plum. Among these are Thomas Landregan and Charley Kern.

Mr. Vincent who was in the race at the start, sailing under the colors of the Fitzgerald Democracy, has made overtures so it is said, to the anti-Landregan faction. Thus the fight goes merrily on. Every Berkeley citizen is buttonholed to sign some or all the petitions to his excellency, the Democratic president, and is then allowed to depart to his home in peace.

What has caused such an unusual bestirring for the Berkeley postmastership is the possibility of the new scheme of postoffice consolidation making the occupancy of the Berkeley office a permanent position under civil service rules. For it has been recommended to the postmaster general to consolidate all small offices like Berkeley under one head such as the postmaster of Oakland. He will be appointed by the president as is now done for a term of years, but the postmasters of the smaller offices will be in the nature of assistants appointed under civil service rules and examinations and will hold office by virtue of continued competency and good behavior. This is why the Berkeley men are scrambling for an office that they expect to hold for life if they can only get hold of it at this time.

"One thing however is forgotten in this fight," said a prominent citizen, "and that is that Berkeley will grow out of any swaddling clothes which Oakland may try to put her in. This too will happen long before any of the present applicants have a chance to get to be permanent fixtures in office. Then we shall demand an independent office."

THE CRESCENT CLUB.

The Crescent Athletic Club is the crack organization of Berkeley. Last night the annual election took place. A week ago nominations were made for the different offices and among them were: President, W. H. Waste, vice president, T. L. Taber and S. H. Metcalf, treasurer, F. W. Foss and F. W. McClain, recording secretary, Walter A. Gompertz, financial secretary, W. H. Bone, leader, T. Huson, George L. Wilcox, F. Strauss; field captain, C. T. Breiim and F. Armstrong; cycle captain, Otto Patzker, H. Price and F. W. Wilkens; four directors to be elected, C. Mikkelsen, W. R. Stamper, H. Hume, J. C. Anthony, F. Thompson, A. E. Quackenbush, C. Klein.

After W. H. Waste had withdrawn his name from nomination for the presidency of the club, H. D. Kelsey was elected by acclamation. The following is the list of elected officers: President, H. D. Kelsey; vice president, W. A. Gompertz; treasurer, Frank McClain; financial secretary, W. H. Bone; field captain, George Wilcox; and cycle captain, F. E. Wilkins. The Board of Directors is composed of Mikkelsen, Anthony Thompson and Quackenbush.

SCHOOL SUBJECTS.

The Board of Education met last evening and transacted an unusually large amount of business, most of which, however, consisted of ordering unpaid bills paid. As the new term opened yesterday the school department will from now on be very busy. There is an increase in the number of scholars amounting to fully sixty. East Berkeley, contributes 37 new pupils; West Berkeley, 12, and Lorin 11. This shows a good growth and indicates that the advocates for school bonds are not too early in the field.

GENERAL GLEANINGS.

Percy Benson, the great Berkeley quarterback and captain of the 'Varsity for 1895 and 1896, has returned to Berkeley for a short time. While up north this season he coached an Oregon team that was able to beat a similar one coached by Captain Downing of Stanford and also the team that the celebrated Buck Morse of college fame, had under his instruction.

Professor Peget entertained a number of San Francisco friends at dinner yesterday at his beautiful home on Dwight Way. Regent Reinstein was the guest of honor.

A new canning company has recently been incorporated by Berkeley men with a capital amounting to a million dollars. The stockholders are Joseph Hume, Joseph Hume Jr., Philip Mills, and S. H. Wakeman. The new corporation is to be known as the Hume Canning Co.

Installing officer W. H. Waste administered the installation ceremonies of the Woodmen of the World to Court No. 94 in Oakland last evening.

The electric light subscription for the University grounds has reached $830. Today Mr. J. L. Scotchler is making a thorough canvass for funds.

James Donovan paid a fine of $10 yesterday in Judge James' court for brutally assaulting Poundmaster Lauterbach.

Court Ocean View, Order of Foresters, installs officers Thursday evening at West Berkeley.

The Directors of the Associated Charities meet tonight at the residence of F. K. Shattuck.

Boone's Academy opened yesterday with a full attendance.

Nettie Laymance, leading milliner, 955 Broadway.

BELMONT--VANDERBILT.

Society Expectant Over the News of the Approaching Marriage.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A local paper says: The marriage of Oliver H. P. Belmont and Mrs. Alva Vanderbilt will be celebrated at the residence of the latter on January 20th. On January 29th they will sail for Europe.

Such was the information given last night by one who is on the closest terms with Mrs. Vanderbilt. This person stated that the utmost secrecy was to be observed regarding the affair and that without doubt the ceremony would be witnessed by only a few persons. It has not been decided who will officiate. The exact time of it is also to be decided.

William K. Vanderbilt will sail today on his yacht Valiant for an extended cruise. Those who will go with him are Fred Beach, Winnie Hoyt, Louis Webb, and possibly Creighton Webb.

A Bad Week.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports 24 failures for the Pacific Coast States and Territories for the week ending Saturday, as compared with 15 for the previous week and 16 for the corresponding week of 1895. The failures were: Three general stores, 1 shingle mill, 2 cigar stores, 2 restaurants, 1 tea company, 1 wine and liquor company, 1 Japanese goods, 2 jewelers, 1 millinery, 1 pickle manfacturer, 1 drugs, 1 manufacturer of boxes, 1 men's furnishing, 1 grocer, 1 dry goods, 1 blacksmith.

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Most Perfect Made. 40 Years the Standard.

CRISP COUNTY CULLINGS.

News and Gossip About the Doings in Interior Towns.

General Conditions of Progress Are Noted Throughout the Community.

The latest happenings throughout the county are as follows:

SUNOL.

A few days ago Mrs. George Nusbaumer forgot her pocketbook in the station at Sunol when waiting for the train for Oakland. She rode as far as Niles and then took the train back to Sunol, only to find that the pocketbook had disappeared. It was noticed, however, that two strange men had been seen hanging around the station and it was supposed that they had found the pocketbook. They were traced on the road to Pleasanton and Constable Lyster of that place was telephoned to apprehend them. The constable succeeded in finding the men, and one of them, on being searched, was found to be in possession of the missing article. As they claimed to have found the pocketbook they were allowed to go free.

PLEASANTON.

The postmaster issued 131 money orders during the last month.

The preliminary examination of John Bernal for the shooting of Richard Foley, will take place on Saturday next.

The masquerade ball given on New Year's eve by the proprietors of the Rose hotel was a big success.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmussen gave a pleasant party at their residence, two miles north of town, a few nights ago.

The public installation of the officers of Pleasanton lodge No. 255, I. O. O. F., will take place tomorrow night.

LIVERMORE.

The grocery, dry goods and clothing stores now close at 8 o'clock every evening.

The Herald, closing its reference to the question of dividing the county of Alameda, says:

"This is not a new idea in Oakland, for about a year ago the City Council of that city passed the following resolution:

"'Resolved, by the City Council of Oakland, that the best interests of this community and adjacent communities will be subserved by the creation of a city and county of Oakland, to be composed of Alameda, Brooklyn and Oakland townships, and such other territory as it may be deemed advisable to include therewith, and that, to promote this undertaking, we favor the division of Alameda county at the earliest opportunity.'

"It is not improbable that this plan of the Oakland citizens may be carried out and the county seat of Alameda county be changed as the result of it."

The Herald is preparing a midwinter edition which will appear not later than the 15th inst. The latest number of the paper appears in a new dress, which is a perfect fit.

MT. EDEN.

The residence of Mr. Henry Droste came near being destroyed by fire Christmas by the smoke house taking fire. The neighbors, however, tore down the fence and by hard work saved the property.

Joseph Barron, H. Christensen and Martin Anderson have moved into new homes.

There will be more adobe land cultivated this year than for a number of seasons.

AMERICA'S TURN.

The Sultan of Turkey Will Be Quickly Called to Time.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—A special from Washington says:

It is no longer denied that the big armored cruiser New York and probably two other vessels in Admiral Bunce's squadron, if not the entire fleet now lying in readiness in Hampton Roads, has been ordered to be in readiness for a voyage to Gibralter in case the Turkish government does not promptly acquiesce in Minister Terrell's peremptory demands for immediate and full reparation for the destruction to American property and the injury to American citizens by Turkish subjects.

In any event it is understood that the cruiser New York may leave for the Mediterranean any moment, the departure of other vessels depending on the contingency of the Turkish attitude undergoing a material change.

Christmas—Guitars, $5, at Clark Wise & Co's, 1108 Broadway.

A SCHOOL WAR.

Trustee Meininger of Mt. Eden and Principal Rowland at Outs.

Trustee Meininger of the Mount Eden school district has been charged as being a party to a conspiracy to deprive W. E. Rowlands of the position of principal in the school of that place. Mr. Meininger prints a card in the Haywards Journal, in which he warmly refers to the charge and undertakes to "expose one whose gratitude for my leniency might have been at least one lonely virtue."

"The facts in the case," writes the director, "clearly demonstrate that my compliance to duty was the only cause for the assault upon me by him. The facts in the case are simply these, and the citizens of Mt. Eden will bear me out, that Mr. Rowlands fought me and did his best to defeat me at the last June election for School Trustee. Had he been friendly, with no cause, and as he was at the same time a guest at my house, would he have opposed me? He caused it to appear in the papers that my opposition to him as principal was in consequence of his leaving my house as a boarder. In the very nature of things this claim is erroneous, for Rowlands was still boarding at my house, and continued there, not only to the end of his term, but until two weeks after the close of the term. The truth of the whole matter is that early last spring, and before the election, I discovered that he was derelict in many respects in his duty, that he spent much of his time loitering about saloons, and I told him plainly that he would have to attend more strictly to his business. He requested me to raise his salary $10 a month, which I refused. All this is why he attempted to defeat me in the said election. Further investigation of the case developed the fact that Mr. Rowlands was in the habit of opening the envelope containing the questions submitted by the County Board of Education several days prior to the date set. During last term, when the County Board of Education had set a certain Monday for the examination and for the breaking of the seal of the envelope containing the questions, Mr. Rowlands broke the seal the week before and had the school begin examination and had the pupils date their papers ahead. This is a well known fact, which he attempted to deny on several occasions, but which he was forced to admit to the County Board of Education, before whom he was ordered for investigation. The result was that the board refused to promote his classes for this and other well founded reasons."

We guarantee our piano tuning, $2.50. Clark Wise & Co's, 1108 Broadway.

A. P. A'S. TO ENTERTAIN.

A Novel Programme for This Evening at Hamilton Hall.

There is to be a unique programme at Hamilton Hall tonight when Council 17, A. P. A and Council 23 W. A. P. A. will join forces. The union will be in the form of a wedding. Two members, one from each council to be joined in sham wedlock. Rev. B. Huddelson, State president A. P. A., will perform the ceremony, but the names of the contracting parties are kept secret.

The officers of the council will be publicly installed. This is the first public installation of A. P. A. officers and attaches much interest to the event. This with the novel wedding and the following excellent programme will insure a full attendance this evening:

Piano solo, selected, Miss Laura Moore; vocal solo, "Gaily Chant the Summer Birds," (De Pinna,) Mrs. Carrie Brown Dexter; recitation, "The Gambler's Wife," Miss Davetta Manning; The Ideal Mandolin Club, selections, Messrs. L. McCullough, William Fox, Harry Fox, and Louis Swasey; cornet, Miss Shipley; recitation, "The Strategy of Miss Bolton Jr.," (H. C. Bunner), Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder; club swinging, Harry Gelder; song, with guitar accompaniment, William Durant; trombone solo, selected, Mr. Charles Parritt; bass solo, selected, George H. Carlton; wedding, Rev. B. F. Huddleson, officiating, of Council No. 17 to Council No. 23; installation of officers of Council No. 17, A. P. A., and No. 23, W. A. P. A.; recitation, (a) "The American Flag," (by Drake), (b) scene from "Romeo and Juliet, (Shakespeare), Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder; tenor solo, "My Native Land," (Von Suppe), Alfred Wilkie; mandolin and guitar, selected, Paul Daniels and Mark Armstrong; young ladies' string quartette, Misses Charlotte Gruenhagen, Mabel Crabtree, May Barrington and Annie Barrington; contralto solo, "Old Glory," Mrs. Blake Alverson; recitation, "The Day of Judgment" (Eliza Stuart Phelps), Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder; song, "The A. P. A.'s Are Coming," Mrs. Blake Alverson, accompanist, H. O. Hunt.

Nettie Laymance, leading milliner, 955 Broadway.

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A Popular Company.

The People's Express, the headquarters of which are on Ninth street, between Broadway and Franklin streets, is now doing an immense business. It always has a large number of wagons busy, but the approach of the holidays gives the company nearly twice its ordinary patronage. This year the increase is in excess of that of any preceding year, but the People's Express Company is always equal to the emergency. The People's Express is the people's favorite because it is always prompt and reliable, and its terms are most reasonable.

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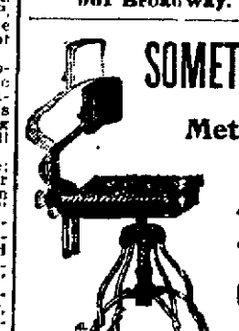
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Clever Gags, Catchy Airs and Charming Scenes in Rice's "1492."

Realistic Situations in "The Train Wreckers" at the Oakland.

The Macdonough was crowded to the doors last night with an audience which very quickly realized that Rice's "1492" was an uncommonly rare stage entertainment.

The spectacle fairly surpasses Rice's great "Evangeline." Its funny conceits are on a different line, but the burlesque is worked out to good advantage and the fun is fast and merry from beginning to end.

The impersonation of "Queen Isabella" by Richard Harlow has a reputation which preceded his appearance in Oakland. He shares with Bessie Bonehill and Ross Snow, the tramp, the honors of the performance.

The spectacular features are of course of a high order. Rice is famous for his well-trained ladies and choruses, and he has not missed the mark in "1492."

Bessie Bonehill is the cleverest woman who has ever essayed to give male impersonations on the American stage. Her songs are new, original and are handled in an inimitable manner that brings her into touch at once with her audience. Harlow as the massive Queen secured a full share of applause. As Christopher Columbus Lewis Williams made a striking character. His make-up was perfect, and a magnificent, robust voice added to his splendid pregence. He was one of the few characters not burlesqued to a great extent by the author and he gave a fine rendition of the lines.

Ross Snow, the King of Spain, downtrodden and humbled by a masculine consort, was equally humorous with Ross Snow's other character, the tramp. Comedy does not depict the humor of his acting. He was the cleverest stage tramp that has appeared in any performance at the Macdonough for many a day.

The dancing is of a splendid order and Fleurette, the famous acrobatic artist, had some startling acts to introduce. Little Willie Dunlay caught the audience at once with his sweet and sympathetic voice, which he displayed to good advantage in "Oh, Promise Me," and "The Sidewalks of New York."

Kilanyi's living pictures are a dream of beauty. They are artistic beyond anything of the like that has been attempted. Absolutely without a semblance of objectionable features the pictures are brilliant in execution.

The same enormous production will be presented tonight, Wednesday evening and a special popular matinee Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. For the matinee prices will be reduced to $1, 75c, 50c and 25c.

ARAMENTI CONCERT COMPANY.

Next Saturday the celebrated Aramenti Concert Company will give a delightful programme at the Macdonough. The attractiveness of the company and the very low prices to prevail will draw a large audience. The lower floor is 50c, balcony 25c.

THE TRAIN WRECKERS.

"The Train Wreckers" was greeted with a crowded house at the Oakland theater last night. Waldron's reorganized company with Jennie Calef at its head was received very warmly, and the cast proved to be all that could be desired. The bridge explosion and the escape from prison were splendidly enacted and the stage effects were thoroughly realistic. The play is booked for a long run.

THE BALDWIN.

Marie Wainwright in the "Daughters of Eve," with a well chosen company, entertained a large audience at the Baldwin theater last evening. The brilliant drama was an immediate success and will go a long way toward more firmly fixing the star's place as one of the great lights of the theatrical firmament.

THE CALIFORNIA.

"Virginius," portrayed by Louis James and a star company, was the attraction that drew a big house to the California last night. James was at his best and round after round of approving applause greeted his heavy scenes.

THE COLUMBIA.

The Frawley Company reopened at the Columbia last night to a packed house that cheered the return of the favorites to the echo. "Lost Paradise" is the bill this week.

THE ORPHEUM.

Many novelties in the vaudeville line keep the programme at the Orpheum fresh and popular. The audiences remain at one level—crowded houses nightly.

MOROSCO'S.

Tom Craven's melodrama, "The Fugitive," is booked for the week at Morosco's. A splendid audience was on hand and gave a strong endorsement of the presentation.

THE TIVOLI.

"Ixion" still draws full houses at the Tivoli. It appears to be one of the most popular spectacular operas ever staged at this always popular resort. Alice Carle, Tom Leary, Ferris Hartman, Gertie Carlisle and all the others in the excellent company do fine work.

THE ALCAZAR.

The Grovers presented "My Precious Baby," a farce comedy, at the Alcazar last night, and none of the preceding comedies have been so full of bright, sparkling fun. The entertainment is one of mirth, and one enjoys a hearty, wholesome laugh from beginning to end.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1896.

Harry L. Holcomb to Emily K. Latham, W Orange av 40 N from N line Latham tract W 135 S 40 E 135 N 40 to beg, ptn Blasdell tract, map No. 2; NE 24th av and Latham tract E 120 N 70 W 120.14 S 70 to beg ptn lot 1, blk 6, Blasdel tract, map 3, subj to a mtge for $600, $10.

Erik Boes to John Z. and Caroline Thomsen, lot 6, blk L, Golden Gate tract, subj to mtge, $10.

Daniel McKeirnan to Mary A. McKeirnan, lot 20, blk 117, tract B, Berkeley L. & T. I. Assn, gift.

Same to same, W 6th 201.85 S Channing Way S 50 x W 136, lots 11 and 12, blk 133 corrected map Avery tract, gift.

Joseph and Augusta Herzog to H. A. Jones, lots 5 to 10, blk 5, Herzog tract, Q. C. D., $25.

John and Sarah H. McCarthy to North Berkeley church, SW Cedar and Oxford S 71.01 W 135 N 61.55 E 136.05 to beg, lot 13, blk D, Percy tract, $100.

Edward E. and Susan A. Potter to Helen L. Nilson, lot 342, Potter tract, $560.

Julius Duerr to John Lughammer, N 5th 50 E Kirkham E 25 x N 101, lot 7, blk 491, Briggs tract, $10.

J. M. Bartlett to Jennie C. O'Neill, S Knox av 500.49 W Telegraph av S 140.64 W 40 N 153.20 E 40.18 to beg, being lot 15 Knox park, $10.

Charles F. and Mary H. Brown to Manuel Ayala, lots 2, 3, 19 and 20, blk A, V. Peralta Reservation tract; E Telegraph av 90 S Sutter 90 x E 150, blk B, same; W Vincente av 40 S Sutter S 45 x W 150, blk B, same, $10.

Joel H. Lynn to Nora Lynn, lots 6 and 7, blk B, Percy tract, gift.

A. J. and Nancy Smithson to Emilie W. Salisbury, NE Orange st 326.10 SE Orchard av NE 150 NW 51.10 SW 150 SE 51.10 to beg, lot 62, Marlon tract; lots 1, 2 and 3, blk 26 Warner tract, subj to mtge for $900, $10.

Frederick and Anna C. Bammann to Berthal A. Dennis, SE Eagle av and Lafayette st E 108 x S 40, ptn lots 13 to 16, blk 47 Encinal, $10.

Luther J. and Mary E. Holton to O. E. Swain, lot 16, blk A, Bellevue tract, $10.

Francisco S. and Maria S. Rose to Joseph S. Rose, lots 12, 13 and 14, blk A, Dahmers addn to San Leandro, gift.

Peter H. Stubbe to Manuel D. Luiz, 2 acres com in center county road Irvington to Centerville at W cor survey No. 17, Rls ex-Mission San Jose th NE 11.57 chs SE 2.7 chs SE 2.6 chs SW 10.59 chs NW 1.395 chs to beg, ptn said survey No. 17, $10.

Josephine Hogarty to Mary Gillardin, 40 acres beg at W cor 139.60 acre tract of Maria Higuera and on NE side road Washington corners to San Jose th NE 48.75 chs SE 8.90 chs SW 47.25 chs NW 9.00 chs to beg, ptn Rancho De Agua Caliente, gift.

SELECTING CHORUS GIRLS

How the Members of the Corps de Ballet Are Chosen.

A Graceful Form, a Pretty Face and a Good Voice the Essentials.

No one has witnessed "1492," or, for that matter, any of Rice's spectacular productions, without noticing the remarkable good fortune enjoyed by that manager in regard to his people. That "Rice's chorus girls" form a distant class by themselves, and are handsomer in face and form than the generality seen elsewhere, is a fact well-known to every habitual play-goer, and not a night passes that the question is not asked a thousand times, "How does Rice manage to get hold of so many good-looking women?"

Ed. Rice has not been in the show business all these years without learning something, and if one drops in at one of these rehearsals an inkling may be obtained into his method of securing the best shaped and handsomest girls for his pieces. He is a great believer in rehearsals, and although "1492" has become a permanent attraction he is constantly adding to it new features which entail fresh rehearsals. One may learn a good deal at one of these rehearsals.

Rice takes his position in the center of the stage, near the footlights, and the young women stand in the same places that they will at night. The music strikes up and they begin, their manager singing himself and waving his arms as a conductor waves a baton. At the end of the second bar he calls a halt. The music ceases and he steps forward and exclaims: "Don't have any of that tired feeling that we read about, or, at any rate, don't show it to the audience. Remember that you have to be on the stage two hours and a half every night, and during that time the entertainment must be bright and lively and full of snap and go. There is not a lady in this company who does not contribute in some way or other to the performance. If she did not she would not be drawing a salary from me. Now go on and wave those handkerchiefs as if you meant something, and not as if you were walking in your sleep."

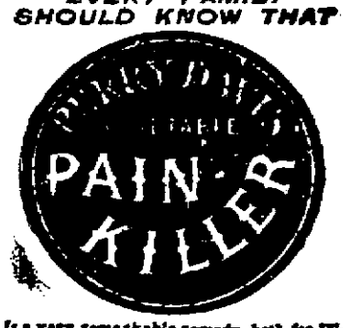
There are usually half a dozen young women waiting just outside the stage door to apply for engagements, and at the close of the rehearsal Rice interviews them one by one.

Possessed of a remarkably quick eye for outline, and a happy knack of guessing at what is often concealed by an ill-fitting dress, he carefully surveys the applicant from head to foot, and then inquires carelessly and with his fine Cape Cob accent, "How much do you weigh, Miss Jones?" If the answer be such as to encourage his belief that the applicant is of shapely proportion, he turns her over to the wardrobe woman, and if that official's report be satisfactory, she is given over to the orchestra leader to have her voice tried.

From the stage Rice can hear her distinctly as she sings in one of the upper rooms, and sometimes while he is talking to one young woman and making a rough estimate of her charms he is listening intently to the voice of another as she gives the orchestra leader an idea of what she can do. But he does not rely wholly on the verdict of the musician and the wardrobe woman; he must see and hear the novice himself, and not until she has appeared before him in tights and warbled some of the music of the piece will he decide to engage her. Once in a while he happens upon some remarkably clever young woman in this way, but as a general thing he requires nothing more than a graceful form, winning face and musical voice for his ensemble.

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MEN OF ENTERPRISE.

What the Merchants' Exchange Proposes to Do.

Editor Tribune—Sir: In reply to an article published in the Morning Call, I wish to say that, as far as the Merchants' Exchange is concerned, there is certainly no quarrel whatever with the so-called Board of Trade of Oakland upon any proposition whatever. I do not think that there is a member of the exchange, or a merchant in Oakland, who for one moment thinks there has been any such organization for years past, excepting in the organization of less than a dozen men, who constitute president, board of directors and entire membership. Any person acquainted with Oakland will, upon reading the list of membership of that organization published by the Morning Times and distributed at the late Exposition, see at a glance that fully two-thirds have either retired from business or been dead for several years past.

Long before any Exposition was ever suggested by the citizens the exchange had felt that it should have larger quarters, suitable for their offices, a permanent exhibition of the products of Alameda county and an annual State exhibition; and to that end the board of directors, at an open meeting held on Thursday evening last, authorized W. V. Witcher, vice president of the exchange, to have articles of incorporation drawn up and presented to them at the regular meeting of the exchange on the next Tuesday evening. Whatever the exchange may do in this matter will be done with open doors and for the best interests of the business community. No attempt will be made to infringe upon the rights of any other organization or secure control of whatever profit there may have been from the late Exposition. The proposition of the exchange will in all probability be submitted to the public within a few days and a limited number of shares of stock offered for sale, for which purchasers will be asked to sign personally. DIRECTOR EXCHANGE.

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A Prayer Meeting.

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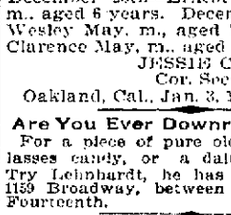
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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

CHRISTIAN GRONER, Plaintiff, vs. WILLIAM SACHAU, ET AL., Defendants. No. 11,185

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1895, in the above entitled action, wherein Christian Groner, the above named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against William Sachau and Anspacher Brothers, (a corporation), defendants, on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1895, for the sum of nineteen hundred and ninety-two and 87-100 dollars, for principal, accrued interest, costs and disbursements and counsel fees, besides interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent from the date of said decree; and wherein Anspacher Brothers, (a corporation), obtained a judgment for the sum of seventeen hundred and seventy-one and 55-100 dollars, for principal, accrued interest, attorneys fees, besides interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent from the date of said decree; which said decree was, on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1895, recorded in Judgment Book 20 of said Court, at page 108, I am commanded to sell all those certain lands and premises situate, lying and being in the County of Alameda, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to wit:

The southwest quarter (¼) of Section thirty-five (35), in Township three (3), south of Range two (2), east of the Mount Diablo meridian, containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres, according to the United States surveys.

Public notice is hereby given that on

WEDNESDAY, THE 22D DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1896,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for lawful money of the United States.

Oakland, December 27, 1895.
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A commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.



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W. B. CARR, Plaintiff, vs. R. H. SWAYNE, Admr., etc., et al., Defendants. No. 10,795

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 27th day of December, A. D. 1895, in the above entitled action, wherein W. B. Carr, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against R. H. Swayne, administrator of the estate of C. A. Edson, deceased, E. B. Edson, Annie M. Edson, Joseph E. Shain, Joshua Hendy Machine Works, a corporation, Electrical Engineering Company, a corporation, defendants, on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1895, for the sum of three thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight and 13-100 dollars in lawful money of the United States, besides interest and costs and expenses of sale, which said decree was, on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1895, recorded in Judgment book 19 of said Court, at page 361, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces and parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Alameda, County of Alameda, State of California and particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

First. Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Central avenue (formerly called Washington avenue) distant thereon sixty (60) feet easterly from the westerly line of the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract; and running thence southerly parallel with said line of said tract one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the shore of the Bay of San Francisco, and running thence north eighty-eight and one-half (88½) degrees east along said shore one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet, more or less, to the westerly line of lands now or formerly owned by C. H. Thompson; thence northerly parallel with said line of the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract, one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the said southerly line of said Central or Washington avenue; and thence westerly along said southerly line of said Central or Washington avenue, one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet, more or less, to the point of commencement, being a portion of said Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract.

Second. Commencing at a point on the shore line of San Francisco Bay at ordinary high tide, distant four (4) chains and ninety (90) links south and nine (9) chains and sixty (60) links east of a granite monument set at the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of section eleven (11), township two (2) south, range four (4) west, Mount Diablo base and meridian, and running thence according to the true meridian, across tide lands south five (5) chains and ten (10) links; thence east four (4) chains and thirty-one (31) links; thence north four (4) chains and sixty-five (65) links to a post marked 288 on the shore line of San Francisco bay; thence along said shore line north seventy-one (71) degrees west, one (1) chain and sixty (60) links to a post marked 289; thence south eighty-eight and one-half (88½) degrees west two (2) chains and eighty (80) links to a post marked 290, the place of beginning. Being a tract of tide lands in San Francisco Bay designated as part of lot No. 24, and part of lot No. 23, in section (11) of said township two (2); containing two and seventeen-hundredths (2 17-100) acres, according to a certain map entitled "Map No. 2, of Salt Marsh and Tide Lands, situated in the County of Alameda, State of California."

Third. Commencing at a point in the line dividing the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract from the Chipman west one hundred and eleven acre tract, distant one hundred (100) feet southerly from the south line of Central avenue (formerly called Washington avenue) and running thence southerly along said dividing line one hundred and sixty-six (166) feet and eight (8) inches to the patent line of the Antonio Maria Peralta Rancho; thence west along said patent line thirty (30) feet; thence north parallel with said dividing line one hundred and sixty-six (166) feet and eight (8) inches; and thence at right angles easterly thirty (30) feet to the point of commencement.

Fourth. Commencing at a point on the dividing line between the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract and the Chipman 111 acre tract, distant one hundred and twenty (120) feet south of Central avenue (formerly called Washington avenue), and running thence south one (1) degree and thirty-five (35) minutes west thirty (30) feet; thence easterly parallel with said Central avenue sixty (60) feet; thence north one (1) degree and thirty-five (35) minutes east thirty (30) feet; and thence westerly parallel with said Central avenue sixty (60) feet to the point of commencement.

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

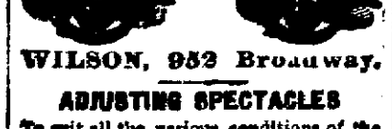
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Oakland, December 28, 1895.
W. S. HARLOW,
A commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

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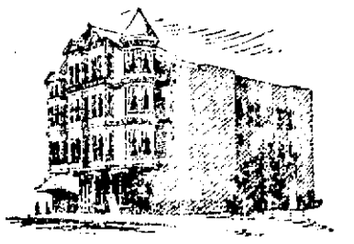
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LITERARY NOTES.

The Overland Monthly for January has been well named a holiday number. There is not a line in it that is not readable and an idea of its contents may be obtained from the fact that Edward R. Taylor has written on "The Pueblo Lands of San Francisco," Irving M. Scott on "Hard Times," Roundeville Wildman on "A Nabalvin New Year," Frank Elliott Myers on "Colonial Ladies" and John Finlay on "Banks and Banking in California."

The Young Ladies Journal is an authority on fashion that none can gainsay. In its pages can be found the latest information regarding the hobbies of society and it would seem as if it were impossible or even well kept boudoir to get along without it. The January number contains an elaborate pattern for a frock for a little one and was made in Paris by one of the directors of fashion. The whole number is replete with the latest hints and trows. (International Press Co., New York.)

The Cosmopolitan has started out the New Year in a manner that promises well for its success. The January number contains contributions by Arthur S. Hardy, Harry L. Wells, W. S. Harwood Maude Thompson, William Hill, James Lane Allen, W. A. Dobson, G. E. Montgomery, R. L. Stevenson, Esther Singleton, Julian Gordon, Edward Harlow and Sir Robert Harton. The subject matter is remarkably diversified and the charming picture on the first page is worthy of the high class material contained within.

The Idler is just the magazine to pass away a leisure hour. Its pages are always well filled with the best of material by the best of authors and under the able editorship of Jerome K. Jerome it is making steady and rapid strides of advancement. The January company contains a story by Rudyard Kipling, "Mr. Dooley Master at Home" and an illustrated interview with Sir Augustus Harris. There is also a medley of general reading. (International News Co., New York.)

The Pocket Magazine is a wonderful production for its size and price. Although only costing 10 cents the January number contains a splendid assortment of tales by Gilbert Parker, Robert W. Chambers, Louise Chandler Moulton, Frank R. Stockton, Francis Gribble and Opie Read. (Charles A. Stokes Co., New York.)

Scribner's Magazine is always good and the January number especially so. The frontispiece is a view of Rouen by Claude Monet and then comes an article illustrated on decorative painting by Robert Blum. Thomas Curtis Clarke writes of water ways from the ocean to the lake. J. M. Barrie gives the first section of "Sentimental Tommy" and Andrew Lang furnishes "Love's Cryptogram."

The wonderful success that attended "Pushing to the front" induced Orison Swett Marden, its talented author, to strike out on similar lines and the result is "Architects of Fate, or Steps to Success and Power." On its title page it is stated that "it is a book designed to inspire youth to character building, self culture, and noble achievement and that it does all it claims will be readily conceded after it has been perused. It is a work that will stir ambition in the young heart for it tells how others achieved success and calls to mind the feeling of every soldier in Napoleon's army—that perchance he had a marshal's baton in his knapsack. The story of how great men started, their struggles, their long waitings, the obstacles they overcame and their final triumphs all are reeled in a graceful manner and the work is replete with the best of advice. A better book for the student or beginner of life's battle cannot be conceived. (Handsomely bound in cloth, $2.50, Houghton Mifflin & Co., Boston.)

"Life in Shut in Valley and Other Pacific coast tales," by Clara Spaulding Brown, is a very readable little work. In a light, breezy, anecdotal strain California life in early days is pictured and there is a knowledge of the subject that makes the situations very vivid and realistic. The minor sketches are ably worked up and the descriptions are painted in admirable diction. The stories are all short, crisp and to the point. (The Editor Publishing Co., Franklin, O.)

John Sherman's "Recollections of Forty Years in the House, Senate and Cabinet," are at last in type. The work is autobiographical and in the two handsome volumes in which it appears is crowded the busy life of one of the greatest statesmen of the age. There are personal recollections and anecdotes regarding the latter day makers of American history—the tariff and financial questions are traced from their inception to their present stage—reminiscences of congressional work are related in a gossipy, entertaining strain and altogether the work is one of the most readable production of the century. Senator Sherman is well qualified in every way to handle the subject for he has been for over a score of years past one of the moulders of American principles and is without doubt one of the ablest statesmen and most profound thinkers the United States has ever had. The book will be invaluable for library purposes as well as for general reading. For it is illustrated with portraits, fac-simile letters, scenes etc., not a thing that could in any way add to its completeness, having been omitted. The war pictures are splendidly worked up and altogether the book should be in the hands not only of all politicians but of everyone interested in the history of the country. (The Werner Co., Chicago and New York.)

"Beauty for Ashes." By Kate Clark Brown. Cloth 75 cents; paper 25 cents. The Arena Publishing Company, Copley Square, Boston, Mass. This is a very strong story of real life, with a subtle underlying reincarnation motive. The story opens with an account of the brief wedded life of Bob Richardson, a Missouri farmer, and his young and beautiful wife, Ellen. The girl-wife is quite untutored, never having been to school in her life, but is by nature refined and spiritual. She sits by the river dreaming dreams and building air castles, so that the neighbors look upon her as "queer," or what is commonly called "fey." She dies in giving birth to her first child, a girl, whom, from some indefinable impulse, she enjoins her husband to christen Lorris. And then through a variety of highly interesting chapters the tale goes on and brings out the old moral that man is purified by suffering and will reap what he sows. Altogether it is a very remarkable story. (For sale by M. S. Smith & Sons, Broadway, Oakland.)

Romance, which has heretofore been devoted to fiction entirely, has undergone a complete change. It is now issued as a five cent magazine, filled with illustrations of a popular kind. The magazine is a considerable novelty, the idea being to emphasize the illustrated side of it rather than the text. There are forty-eight pages containing not less than sixty illustrations printed from the best of plates on the best of paper. There are pictures of noted painters, of people of the day, of actors and actresses, of literary individuals at home, scientific matters are treated of, and amateur photography is given a generous space. Altogether the design has met with a cordial receipt on wherever spoken of, and readers will be sure to profit by purchasing the early numbers which will form a perfect little picture book of genuine, contemporary interest.

In a recent work called "The Hill Caves of Yucatan," Mr. Henry C. Mercer has opened up a region quite new to literature. His search was for evidences of man's antiquity in the deposits of unexplored caverns; but he found much that interests unscientific readers as well.

An excellent biography of Schomburgk, whose name has been mentioned so often in connection with the Venezuela question is to be found in Appletons' Cyclopedia of American Biography, which also contains a concise and valuable biography of President Monroe and an account of the Monroe Doctrine.

Dr. Berdoe, a well known writer on Robert Browning and his works, has prepared a volume on the evidences of Christianity from Browning's standpoint.

Professor L. H. Bailey's work on Plant Breeding which will be published by Macmillan & Co. early in September ,will form the first volume of the "Garden Craft Series."

Froebel's Songs and Games are by far the most important and most successful of his educational devices. They open to the imagination of childhood the vision of the ideal, and hence stir the sympathies, arouse the mind, and awaken the conscience. In the past their merit has been obscured by the fact that both in the original Mother Play and in its literal translations the form of the book has not been adequate to its idea. Thoughtful persons have questioned whether children should learn bad poetry and sing poor music. In the edition just published by D. Appleton & Co., competent poets and musicians have cooperated to give a worthy setting to Froebel's thought, and it is believed that the book will meet a need long and widely felt by mothers and kindergartners.

The complete novel in the January issue of Lippincott's is by Mrs. Alexander, the author of "The Wooing O't" and other well known books. "Mrs. Crichton's Creditor" was also her admirer, but his devotion was disinterested almost beyond parallel, and her innocence and sense of duty were such that the two would have made a model pair—if only they had been paired. As for Mr. Crichton, there was much less to be said in his favor. "The Woman of Asbestos" is a Neapolitan story by Mrs. Pullen, better known as Elizabeth Cavazza, who knows Southern Italy as if it were her native land. Dorothy E. Nelson strikes the true note of Christmas in "Our Lady of the Angels." "The Way of a Will" was a curious way indeed. It is here traced by William T. Nichols, already well known to the readers of Lippincott's. Charles Dudley Rhodes tells with humorous Western cynicism the tale of "The Man Who Came to Town."

Mr. Marion Crawford's novel "A Cigarette Maker's Romance," is being dramatized. The fact that the action covers only thirty-six hours makes the task of dramatization a specially easy one.

The second volume of the "Social England Series," which was inaugurated so successfully with Rowbotham's "Troubadours and Courts of Love," will be "The King's Peace," by Mr. Inderwick, Q. C.

Macmillan & Co. announce a work on "Alternating Currents and Alternating Current Machinery," by Dugald C. Jackson, B. S. C. E., professor of electrical engineering in the University of Wisconsin.

In "Men of the Moss Hags," which went recently into its third edition, Mr. Crockett has returned again to his earlier style, made famous by "The Raiders."

The first issue of the Atlantic Monthly for 1896 opens with an unpublished note book of Nathaniel Hawthorne, now printed for the first time. There are also the opening chapters of a new three-part story by F. J. Stimson (J. S. of Dale) entitled "Pirate Gold." It deals with romantic Boston life in the fifties. Two political articles will be sure to attract attention, "The Emancipation of the Post-office," by John R. Procter, chairman of the United State civil service commission, and "Congress out of Date," the latter being an able statement of the evils due to the present system of convening Congress a year after its election.

Godey's Magazine has brought out an order novelty for the January number in the shape of a Woman's number. All the articles, stories, and poems in it are either by or about women. If anyone thinks, however that the magazine is less interesting on this account, let him read Joseph Lana Miller's "The New Woman in Office," of how Mrs. Blaeman, secretary of the police board of Leavenworth, handled a Coxey army, and the experience of Mrs. Ames as deputy sheriff in Illinois, or of the ingenious accomplishments of women, told in "Women Inventors", or Mrs. Martha McCulloch Williams' charming piece of action, "Dyramus and Thisbe," or Frances Aymar Mathews' "A Record of Realities."

Macmillan & Co. will publish shortly "A London Garland," consisting of extracts from Chaucer, Lydgate, Dunbar, Surrey, Spenser, Drayton etc., edited by Mr. W. E. Henley, with 100 illustrations by members of the Society of Illustrators.

Outing for January opens with a fascinating story "Sweet Marjory," by Sara Beaumont Kennedy. Three complete stories, "An Arctic Castaway," by R. G. Taber, "The Stranger at the Anchor," by M. F. Williams, and "The Burglar of Cornfield Inn," by H. Babson, make the fiction department unusually strong. Notable sporting features are "Winter Fishing," by Ed. W. Sandys, "A Moose Hunt on the Yukon," by the late Y. Wilson; and "A Night Among the Wolves," by Fred Whishaw. "The Horse of Society" is a finely illustrated article by E. B. Abercrombie. Sketches of cycling, travel and adventure add variety to an excellent number.

"The Land of Nada," by Bonnie Scotland; cloth 75 cents; paper 25 cents. The Arena Publishing Co., Copley Square, Boston, Mass. The Land of Nada, the scene of this charming fairy story is an enchanted country, ruled over by King Whitecombo and the beautiful Queen Haywarda. Prince Trueheart and his blue-eyed baby sister, Princess Dorothy and their wonderful adventures, the enchanted cows and chickens, the wonderful bonbon tree whose trunk yields three different kinds of beverages, are some of the wonders of this delightful land; as are, also, the doings of the fairies, genii, goblins and enchanted hawks. The style in which the book is gotten up makes it very suitable for a Christmas present. (For sale by M. S. Smith & Sons, Broadway, Oakland.)

The unexpectedly active demand for the December Midland Monthly (several thousand in excess of the supply) has been followed—so the publisher informs us—by still larger orders from dealers, and by a large increase in 1896 subscriptions. The January Midland (out about the 21th inst.) will have two prize contributions: "A Glimpse of Acadia," (Western Louisiana), with pictures, and "A Mining Camp Love Story," also the Minnesota Club Federation," with portraits; "Glimpses of Scottish Scenery," and other illustrated articles. The strong fiction department leads off with a racy "lawyer's story," by the popular Frank W. Calkins, followed by stories from Rosa Hudspeth, Eugene Schaffter and other rising young authors. Hon. C. W. Skinner vigorously opposes Andrew Carnegie's plea for an Anglo-American union—a timely theme in view of recent events. Superintendent Frank B. Cooper ably handles "Current Educational Movements." Home themes, war sketches, poetry and editorial departments altogether make the January Midland (Des Moines) one well worth reading through.

The New Bohemian begins the New Year with a splendid array of literary and artistic talent. The January number presents one of the most important literary features of the month in the shape of a brilliant and scholarly review of Professor John Uri Lloyd's great book "Etidorhpa," by Judge J. Soule Smith. The leading story, written by Frances Aymar Mathews, bears the finde siecle title of "Two of a Kind and a Joker." It is a strong story, full of action and replete with dramatic situations. Dr. William C. Cooper contributes a valuable and interesting paper on the writing of "Hoosier Dialect." "Folk Lore; What Is It?" is the title of an instructive, entertaining and carefully prepared paper on the origin, history and significance of the folk lore of nations, by M. S. V. Taliaferro. This article is amply illustrated with drawings by the author.

The New Year's Ladies Home Journal brings with it abundant assurance that it has inaugurated a red letter year of its existence—that it will be better in 1896 than ever. The best known and most popular contemporaneous writers and artists are represented in their best achievements. On the cover page is reproduced Albert Lynch's famous painting, "The Godmother" in half tone, showing the great work of the modern master in exquisite perfection of artistic detail. Mary Anderson de Navarro continues the interesting reminiscences of her "Early Days on the Stage," recounting her trials, disappointments and ultimate triumphs. Ex-President Harrison's paper in his "This Country of Ours" series, explains succinctly and lucidly the Federal Constitution, tells of its adoption and amendments, and defines its scope and limitations.

The first editions of the January McClure's is 300,000 copies—an increase of 170,000 in three months. It is easy to understand these great strides in circulation when one has read, in this number, the remarkable story of Lincoln as the manager of Denton Offutt's saw mill and country store at New Salem, the victorious wrestler against the champion of Clary's Grove, the student, between whiles, of Kirkham's Grammar, a candidate for the legislature, and captain of raw recruits in the Black Hawk War; and when one has inspected the twenty-five pictures which help to vivify this most engaging chapter of Lincoln history. We have been advised heretofore that the history of Lincoln's early years was lost. This can be said no more; for Miss Tarbell has recovered it for McClure's down to its smallest detail.

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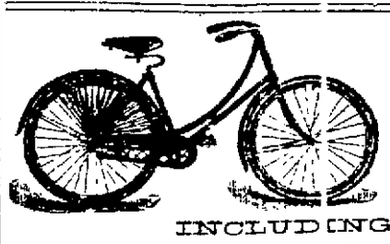
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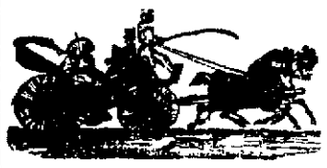
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7:36 a	Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sacramento and Redding via Davis	6:20 p
8:04 a	Martinez, San Ramon, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	5:45 p
9:37 a	Los Angeles express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	4:29 p
9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton	10:04 a
2:31 p	*Port Costa and way stations	*7:14 p
4:06 p	New Orleans express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	10:04 a
4:36 p	Santa Fe route, Atlantic express for Mojave and East	10:04 a
4:36 p	Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa	8:45 a
4:36 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:14 a
6:36 p	European mail, Ogden and East	9:13 a
7:36 p	**Vallejo	* 7:14 p
7:36 p	Oregon express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:14 a
10:27 p	Sunset Limited, Fresno, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and East	113:10 p

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9:09 a	***Peters and Milton	***6:41 p
1:40 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:07 a
5:12 p	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	8:41 p
6:43 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

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9:36 a	To Melrose,	11:08 a
10:36 a	[*] Seminary Park,	[*] 1:38 p
12:36 p	Fitchburg,	2:08 p
3:36 p	Elmhurst,	5:06 p
4:36 p	San Leandro	6:06 p
5:36 p	and	8:06 p
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9:36 p		11:18 p
11:51 p	[||]	6:38 a

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Superintendent Miller Will Not Accept the Twelfth Street Work.

EXPERTS GIVE EVIDENCE.

Complaints About the Bitumen Are Denied by the Contractors.

THE COUNCIL KEPT BUSY.

More Efforts to Turn Money Into the Depleted Treasury.

The first Council meeting for 1896 was in some respects a remarkable one and although the session continued until half past 11 o'clock not very much routine work was cleared off the table. At 9 o'clock all business was laid aside to hear the appeal of the Pacific Paving Company, which took until within a quarter of an hour until the time of adjournment. Nearly every member had something which needed attention and called it up between 11:15 and 11:30. Brosnahan had a new scheme for saving the city money, which came after Heitmann's resolution to provide funds for the men who work on the streets.

The members learned all kinds of lessons in street paving and also that the street superintendent had been doing good work. The contractors for the Twelfth street job insisted that it was the best piece of work ever done in Oakland and on cross-examination admitted that the Street Superintendent's continually keeping after them was the cause of its superiority.

The meeting opened in the regular way with communications, protests, petitions and reports. They were read and disposed of as follows:

COMMUNICATIONS.

From the Mayor noting the expenses for the past six months. Filed.

From the City Engineer in reference to Morgan maps. Filed.

From the City Attorney, advising that the pickle ordinance is illegal. Filed.

From the Chief of Police, Poundmaster and City Weighmaster. Filed.

MINER'S BILLS.

Mr. Towle called up the resolution which provides that the City Council send its respects to the California Congressmen to assist in the development of the mining lands.

Grant L. Taggart, who owns mining interests, addressed the Council briefly. He said that the bills they desired to have Congress pass had been drawn at the Miner's Convention in San Francisco and that Perkins and Hilborn had expressed themselves as favorable to the proposed action.

The rules were suspended and the resolutions unanimously passed.

ORDINANCES.

The ordinance providing that street cars be provided with at least one man as conductor in addition to the motorman came up on second reading. Towle said that some of the companies wished to be heard and the matter was referred back to the committee. The meeting will be held next Thursday evening to hear the complaints.

The ordinance providing for the posting of the names of streets and avenues at the street corners was read. As originally drawn the ordinance provided that the city marshal should do the work. That office has been abolished and though changes were suggested the matter was referred back to the committee.

Mott said that Freeman South wanted to appear before the finance committee and his claim, which had been sent to the Board of Public Works with a recommendation that it be rejected, was re-referred to the committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Transferring $500 from the general fund to the street light fund.

Fixing Monday, January 20th, as the time to hear the protest of E. C. Sessions and others against sewering Twenty-first avenue.

Rescinding the resolution to regrade and macadamize East Sixteenth street.

Releasing W. S. Dunlevy, contractor, from his contract for sewering East Twenty-eighth street from Ninth to Thirteenth avenues, provided he pay the costs of advertising.

THE PAVING APPEAL.

The appeal of the Pacific Paving Company to have its assessment issued for paving Twelfth street from Washington to Broadway was called promptly at 9 o'clock. Street Superintendent Miller had refused to issue the assessment because he considered the work was poorly done and not in conformity with the specifications and contract.

The attorney for the company suggested that Mr. Miller first prove that the work was defective, but Towle thought that the company should prove its case first and James H. Swift manager for the company, was sworn. He said that he had been very particular about this work and he considered it as fine a piece of work as was ever done. He thought that the bitumen was not lumpy nor was it laid on a foundation too damp.

Mr. Miller asked on cross-examination if the witness had ever received notice not to lay the bitumen until the foundation dried. Mr. Swift answered that the company had.

Bassett asked the effect of laying bitumen on a wet foundation and Dow took up the statement of the witness that the Street Superintendent had given the company trouble from the first. Under the examination the witness acknowledged that Mr. Miller had made complaints about the rock, cement, etc., but did nothing that an honest and careful official should not do.

S. B. Boyer, on behalf of the appellants, said that he had noticed the condition of the street before the bitumen was laid and thought it sufficiently dry. On cross-examination he said that he knew nothing about concrete, was not a contractor and did not know what the effect of water on a foundation would be.

F. W. Searing, whose store is on the street, did not think that the street was very wet. It had rained the afternoon before the day on which the bitumen was laid.

Charles Marshal, the foreman in the employ of the company, testified that the street was moist, though not what would be called wet. As to lumps he said that there were none in the bitumen that would not pulverize under the roller.

M. J. Manard, assistant superintendent for the company, and laborer Farley, in their employ, thought the job A1, and J. W. Crick, the inspector for the city, said that the work, in his opinion, was done in accordance with the plans and specifications, and he considered it one of the finest jobs in the city.

Dow took a piece of bitumen and asked the witness if bitumen containing lumps as large as those in the piece he held should be laid in doing good work.

Mr. Crick said, if so, the work would be considered a bad job.

P. W. Reardon was the first witness for the city. He said that he had been in the street contracting business for six years and thought that good bitumen should be practically free from lumps. The concrete might be a little wet without affecting the work, so long as the water was not sufficient to cool the bitumen.

A. Haskins said he had laid bitumen and asphalt for the past fourteen years. That lumps should be removed to make good pavement, and that dryness of the foundation added to the efficiency.

City Engineer Wilson said that he had noticed the work while in course of construction. He had noticed that the men were raking the lumps along and covering them up instead of taking them out. He had told the foreman in charge not to lay the bitumen until the street dried. Shortly afterward, he came back and found that the work of placing the bitumen on the concrete was in progress.

Towle moved that further consideration of the matter be sent to the street committee, for them to investigate and report at the next meeting.

The roll was called, and such was the order.

Mott got the floor, and moved that the next meeting be held next Monday. So ordered.

TO HELP THE POOR.

Heitmann said he had a resolution which he wanted passed. It was to transfer $3500 from the general fund to the street fund to pay the street laborers.

Mott wanted the matter to go regularly to the finance committee.

Heitmann objected, as he said he had seen street laborers having their warrants shaved by money sharks and thought the matter ought to be attended to at once.

Towle tried to pacify the matter by a meeting to be held next Wednesday, but was not supported. So Heitman withdrew his motion, and the resolution went to the finance committee.

THE WATER RESOLUTION.

Brosnahan had a little plan to raise money.

"I think that if we give the matter attention," he said, as he presented his resolution, "that it will help the city finances and also the street laborers, and perhaps Heitmann's plan will be unnecessary. The water companies are bidding for the private business, and believe the city ought to come in on it. I have watched the business, and if they do as well by us as they do by the citizens we will save from $10,000 to $12,000 in the next six months. We will just set a night and let them come here and do a little bidding and the one who goes lowest gets the contract. We need the money and I ask for a suspension of the rules so that we can get down to work right away."

The roll was called, with the result of 7 ayes, 2 nays, 2 absent.

Ayes—Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Marshall, Mott, Towle and President Manuel.

Nays—Bassett and Heitmann.

Absent—Capell and Watkinson.

Dow thought the matter ought to go before the committee and come up at the next meeting. The hour was too late for much discussion and Brosnahan consented to lay it over for more consideration. The roll was called on the motion to lay it over and all voted aye.

The resolution in full is as follows:

Whereas, There are two companies engaged in supplying water for public and private use in the city of Oakland both of which have been and still are actively soliciting patronage from private consumers at rates far below the maximum established by the Council to remain in force until the first day of July, A. D. 1896; and

Whereas, Notwithstanding this competition the Council of the City of Oakland has continued to pay and is still paying unnecessarily full maximum rates for all the water supplied to it by said companies and each of them, and

Whereas, It is the duty of this Council to secure its supplies of all kinds at as low rates as possible, and at prices not exceeding those paid by private consumers, and not to parcel out patronage of any kind upon petitions or solicitations or as personal favors at prices greater than need to be paid; a duty especially incumbent at this time of financial embarrassment in the funds of the city; and

Whereas, Both the said water companies are enjoying the untaxed use of the public streets for their business purposes and private gain, frequently necessitating repairs at public expense; and

Whereas, Large savings can be made to the taxpayers of this city by properly taking the benefit of the competition now existing in supplying water, and these savings can by prompt action on the part of the Council be applied during the next six months to great advantage in repairing Eighth street bridge, Twelfth street dam, improving parks and employing labor now suffering in enforced idleness; therefore

Resolved, That this Council will hereafter take its water supply for all fire purposes, street sprinkling, public parks and public buildings, controlled by it until the first day of July, A. D. 1896, from that company which will supply the water at the lowest prices below the maximum rates heretofore fixed by this Council; and that the clerk give notice by publication in the Oakland Enquirer for five days inviting such proposals.

AFTER DAVIE.

Chief of Police Lloyd sent a spicy communication complaining that the Mayor was not signing his requisitions and a resolution directing the Police and Fire Commissioners to instruct the Chief of Police to buy $193.50 worth of brogans blankets and overalls was passed over Bassett's negative vote.

Miller had a similar communication and a similar resolution was introduced.

Bassett was opposed to voting any money for cross walks and so expressed himself. The resolution was defective and while Mr. Miller was drawing a new one Dow called up the resolution authorizing the city to repair that part of the Twelfth street which is opposite their property on the dam. Dow said that there would be a meeting in Washington hall next Friday night of the Twelfth street property owners who would probably like to know what the city would do. The vote was 8 ayes, Bassett no, Watkinson and Capell absent.

THE EIGHTH STREET BRIDGE.

A new ordinance for the repair of the Eighth street bridge at a cost not to exceed $12,000 was referred to the ordinance committee.

Miller got back with his amended resolution, but he was too late; the Council stood adjourned until next Monday.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The following claims were recommended by the finance committee and passed by the Council: Mrs. Alice Anthony, $300; J. Bohan, $10; E. G. Buswell Paint Company, $2.50; William Brady, $20; John L. Bromley, $15; Contra Costa Laundry, $4.30; Carruth & Carruth, $14 65; J. P. Crick, $78; Contra Costa Water Company, $6.80; Davis & Co., $1; A. Dowson, $9; H. Deucke, $2; J. L. Dunn, $20; G. B. Daniels, $5; H. J. Eliason, $6.34, $13.75; E. Hampel, $1.5; H. Hotchkiss, $25; F. M. Hunstead, $5.50; L. Hewlett, $325.71; J. Harris, $48; F. C. Howe, $3; J. A. Ingler, $20; H. C. Jones, $14, $1.25; Jordan Printing Company, $2.57; C. W. Hensey, $1.50; R. V. Merrick, $37.46; L. A. Mitchell, $15; C. A. Melbourne, $20; T. Marks, $6; S. Miller, $82.38; Ross Morgan, $140; V. Mueller, $8.25, $14; J. S. McMath, $5; V. S. Northy, $12; Charles T. Ott, $2.5; Osgood Bros., $4.50; Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company, $15.60; Oakland Enquirer Publishing Company, $13.75, $2.10, $9.20, $12.35, $38.15, $12.35, $4.15, $14.17, $2.15, $13.48; Pacific Press, $4.30; C. C. Proctor, $180, $36; Peerless Awning Company, $1; C. B. Rutherford, $3.65; F. I. Reed, $48, $60, Martin Regan, $2. J. L. Redding, $18; Rice & White, $41.85; Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Company, $1.15, $187.50, $25; Michael Sullivan, $1; E. Stockler, $1.50; H. Tum Suden, $20; O. K. Stampley, $4; Sohst Bros., $3.5; $38.75; I. Tobriner, $2.50; A. B. Tennant, $122.50; $122.50, $122.50; Umphred Bros., $45; Weitman & Weitman, $3.40; H. C. Weitzel, $236.25; J. J. White, $13.50; C. E. Wilkins, $1; Weitman & Weitman, $1.50; Al Wood & Bro., $4.50; J. C. Wilson & Co., $27.64, $7.47, $229.38, $17.9, $272.01.

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At the meeting of the Board of Education last night the changes to be made in the teachers came up and the following assignments were made: Miss Madden, to Cole School, ninth grade B; Miss Grove, eighth grade A, Cole School; Miss Lemon, Cole School, sixth grade A; Miss Morrison, Cole School, fifth grade A. Mrs. Preble of the Franklin School, fourth grade will exchange with Miss Hayes of the Sweet School, fourth grade.

Applications for teachers' positions from Gertrude Williams and Emma J. McCracken were filed.

Helen M. Stores of the Franklin School was granted a six months extension to her leave of absence.

Requisitions will be asked for labor and material for constructing cement curbing and gutters around the Grant School.

Attention was called to the discounting of the teachers' salary warrants and the matter referred to the Judiciary Committee for remedy if possible.

Janitors were instructed to see that no posters are placed on school fences in the future.

THE HIGH SCHOOL BOARD.

The High School Board granted Fred L. Button, president of the alumni, permission to sell tickets for an entertainment to be held January 17th.

The recommendation for special courses was referred to the committee in connection with Principal McChesney.

Complaints were made of the treatment of the rooms by the football club and the Aegis and the janitors were instructed to look carefully after the matter in the future.

Lack of funds lost Miss Palmer's application for an assistant.

A motion to close the school at 3 o'clock was carried.

A motion to dispense with singing, as it would interfere with the early closing was introduced and after discussion it was decided to have this study from 3 to 3:30 o'clock for the present and to abolish it later if the pupils do not take sufficient interest to warrant the expense.

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AFTER PULITZER.

Lodge called attention today to the recent telegrams between the Prince of Wales, Rothschilds and other well-known British subjects and Mr. Pulitzer, of the New York World, concerning the Venezuelan and financial policies of the government.

He said they were in contravention of the statute of the United States forbidding such communications between private citizens and officers of foreign governments, and the attorney-general should prosecute Pulitzer for thus attempting to influence this government.

Gray of Delaware defended Pulitzer.

THE HOUSE.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The House today adopted a joint resolution authorizing Lieutenant Sidney S. Jordan, Fifth U. S. Artillery, and Captain E. C. Carter, assistant surgeon U. S. A., to accept medals from the British government.

Member-elect Allen of Utah was sworn in, the judiciary committee reporting there was no doubt concerning his eligibility.

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A report from the committee on judiciary calling upon the Attorney General for information as to what steps, if any, he has taken to enforce the laws of the United States against trusts, combinations and conspiracies, and what further legislation, if any, is needed, was made by Henderson of Iowa. The resolution was adopted.

On motion of Dingley, a resolution was adopted, calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information as to the amounts received from the lessees of the Alaskan seal islands each year from May, 1890, and from 1868 to 1890, and the number of skins taken each year, also the cost of policing the Bering sea and North Pacific each year since 1890, and the amounts paid for the support of the natives of Alaska.

The report made by Aldrich (Rep.) of Illinois chairman of the committee on accounts, recommending the appointment and release of sundry minor officials of the House, evoked a warm discussion, in which Johnson of Indiana and Walker of Massachusetts, both Republicans, attacked the alleged combination which controlled the appointments of House officers.

The recommendations of the committee on accounts were approved, and at 1:45 o'clock the House adjourned until tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS.

The President Announces the California Debris Commission.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The president sent the following nominations to the Senate today: Lieutenant Colonel William E. King, Corps of Engineers, to be a member of the Missouri River Commission.

To be members of the California Debris Commission, Colonel Charles Russell Suter, Major Charles E. L. B. Davis, Captain C. E. Gillette, all of the Corps of Engineers.

Treasury, Third Lieutenant William H. O'Day of Pennsylvania and Third Lieutenant Henry L. Peckham of Rhode Island to be second lieutenant, revenue cutter service.

PACIFIC RAILROADS.

The House Committee Meets and Prepares for Business.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The first meeting of the House Committee on Pacific Railroads held today was a largely formal affair for organization and while no definite step was taken toward framing a plan to adjust the indebtedness of the roads to the government, it was decided to begin that work at once and hold the first meeting for the purpose on Saturday next.

Hearings to interested parties if any are granted will be brief.

SEEKING RECOGNITION.

Leaders of the Cuban Revolutionary Party Applying at Washington.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Several members of the House consulted the leaders today regarding the introduction of resolution for the recognition of the insurgents of Cuba as belligerents.

It is quite likely, however, the Cuban question will not come up for discussion until the committee on foreign affairs makes a report.

Representative Sulzer of New York City called at the State Department today accompanied by President Palma of the Cuban revolutionary committee, Secretary Quesada, Horatio Rubens, a prominent Cuban sympathizer, and Manuel Sanguilly, brother of Sanguilly, now held in Moro Castle, Havana.

Secretary Olney was about to leave for a Cabinet meeting so the party did not see him.

They left a large bundle of papers for his inspection.

It is believed the main purpose of the visit was to secure energetic action in behalf of the imprisoned Sanguilly, who claims American citizenship.

It is learned though that the chief purpose of the leaders of the Cuban revolutionary party in coming to Washington today was to push vigorously the movement to secure the recognition of revolutionists by this government.

They made Secretary Olney a brief but forcible presentation of the claims of the insurgents to recognition.

Recently the House adopted a resolution calling upon the State Department for all the information in its possession concerning the revolution.

President Palma and his associates at once began the compilation of evidence in justification of their cause.

It is probable the documents given Secretary Olney or their substance will soon be transmitted to the House.

There is a strong sentiment in the House which has been advanced by the recent successes of the Cubans that this government should do all in its power consistent with international usages, to assist the patriots.

President Palma predicts the insurgents will capture Havana within three months and a Cuban republic will be established in six months, if it has the recognition of the United States.

RAIDING THE RESERVE.

Three Millions More Gold Is Announced for Shipment.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Lazard Freres & Co. have ordered $1,000,000 gold at the subtreasury for shipment tomorrow. Heidelbach & Ickelheimer also ship $500,000 gold bars.

The total of gold engaged up to 1 o'clock today for tomorrow's shipment is as follows: Lazard Freres & Co., $1,625,000 gold bars; Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co., $500,000 gold bars and $900,000 gold coin.

A RUN IS FEARED.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The Post's Washington special says:

The fears entertained of a run on the gold reserve bid fair to be realized.

Information was received today at the treasury department that orders for the importation of gold have been cancelled and $3,000,000 will go out by tomorrow's steamers.

Private advices from New York also tell of large withdrawals for domestic sequestration.

This is what the administration feared more than withdrawals for exports.

"Scare dispatches" poured into Washington this afternoon from Wall street news agencies asking for the latest about the treasury situation.

It is not improbable the secretary of the treasury may be forced to abandon his popular loan programme and make another syndicate deal within ten days or two weeks to protect the reserve against annihilation.

The reserve will be down to $58,000,000 by tomorrow night on known figures.

NEED BE NO SCARE.

The Baltimore Probably Laid Up for a Week at Yokohama

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—No alarm is felt at the navy department over the U. S. Baltimore, reported in San Francisco to be overdue.

She was sailing under orders to stop at Yokohama, and if she had laid up there a week for any cause, she would not yet be due.

FOR THE FINANCIERS.

Experts Say, "What Will Become of the Bond Issue."

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan 7.—A special from Washington says: Now comes the important information from Mr. Morgan, who has formed, or is forming, a bond syndicate, that he will take all bonds offered by the government or none. This is his ultimatum.

The experts in finance know what this means. Hear what the best one in the government says under cover of confidence:

"The syndicate will get the bonds because speculation is a cold-blooded game.

"There is no sentiment in Wall street. It is well enough to speak of patriotism and brotherly love among the citizens of a nation, but those sentiments do not spring from the hearts of men who corner gold.

"Just as sure as those bonds are sold just that sure will Wall street get them."

"A bank in Stubenville, Ohio, the National Exchange bank, telegraphed today offering to take $20,000 of the bonds at $1.12.

"Other banks, I am told, have sent similar messages to Mr. Carlisle.

"A dozen or more of them were received before noon. But there were no messages from New York or from Philadelphia or from Boston.

"Those cities harbor the men who control the gold of this country. They may not have it themselves, but they have a way of getting it.

"When you have learned the intricacies of finance you will learn that the bankers of New York with their affiliations and connections reaching across the sea can band themselves together under the present laws and manipulate the gold reserve of this government as nicely as an engineer manipulates his throttle."

There is belief expressed in other quarters that in the end the syndicate will control this bond issue just as it did the last.

It is thought that while the public may subscribe to some extent, the great financiers, the men who have formed the syndicate, will go together and make a price for practically the whole issue, which would be higher than the average individual would care to give, and which would compel the Secretary of the Treasury to award the bonds to the combination.

Secretary Carlisle was prompted to write his bond call by news which he had received from Secretary Olney, who had been in New York, and was then on his way to Washington. Just before 9 o'clock Sunday night Mr. Olney reached Washington and was driven immediately to the White House.

A few minutes later Mr. Carlisle and Attorney-General Harmon were summoned to the White House by telephone.

Then Secretary Carlisle, reading from the notes he had made at his home, dictated the call, which was later made public.

What information did Mr. Olney bring from New York? That is a question not so easily answered. The men who know are few.

The private secretary to the President was besieged for information on this point, and in reply to all questions he remarked that he belonged to the great majority who knew nothing.

Some of the men whose opinions are worthy believe that Senator Elkins' resolution, which was discussed so warmly in the Senate Friday afternoon, was responsible in part for the sudden issue of the bond call.

By this resolution Senator Elkins sought to declare the sense of the Senate to be against the sale of bonds to a syndicate, in other words, against a private sale.

This resolution rests on the calendar of the Senate as unfinished business, to be taken up at noon today.

STOCKS STILL SHIFTY.

The Market Is Awaiting the Issue of the Bonds.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The uncertainty regarding the government bond issue and the evidence of political and financial disturbance abroad dominated the opening here.

London cables reported declines in Americans ranging up to 2 per cent below yesterday's final New York prices.

Grangers are under a special column now on the government report indicating that the crops of wheat, corn and oats in 1895 yielded the farmers about 26,000,000 bushels less than even in previous light years.

The market started inactive and weak with sharp declines of all leading shares.

At 10:15 there was a loss in sugar of 1%. Pullman dropped 6 per cent, Pacific Mail 2½ per cent. Large blocks of stocks were thrown on the market.

Toward 10:30 the tone of speculation underwent a change and some gains were made.

Silver is 66⅞c, and lead is $3.00.

Stock speculation during the second hour was quiet but firm.

The prices at midday as a rule were but slightly below yesterday's closing figures.

IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The stock market was very weak, but business closed slightly above the lowest prices. American securities were very flat.

PORTUGESE HAPPY.

The Revolt at Mozambique Said to Be Effectually Crushed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Acting Portuguese Minister Senor Tavora has received a cablegram announcing the capture of Gungunhama and Son Gu de by Captain Mouchino.

The news of the capture of the leaders of the rebellion at Mozambique has caused the greatest enthusiasm at Lisbon, and it is considered in Portugal that the capture means a termination of the rebellion.

SCIENCE'S GREAT STRIDES

The Latest Discovery Is of a Marvellous Advance in Photography

Impressions Can Be Obtained Inside Flesh and Organic Substances.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A dispatch to a local paper from London says:

The noise of war's alarm should not distract attention from the marvelous triumph of science which is reported from Vienna.

It is announced that Professor Routtgen, of the Wurzburg University, has discovered a light, which for the purposes of photography will penetrate flesh and most other organic substances.

The professor has succeeded in photographing metal weights which were in a closed wooden case, also a man's hand which shows only the bones, the flesh being invisible.

The Chronicle correspondent says the discovery is simple. The professor takes a so-called Crooke's pipe, viz.: a vacuum glass pipe with an induction current going through it and by means of rays which the pipe emits, photographs on ordinary photographic plates.

In contrast with the ordinary rays of light these rays penetrate organic matter and other opaque substances just as ordinary rays penetrate glass.

He has also succeeded in photographing hidden metals with a cloth thrown over the camera.

The rays penetrated not only the wooden case containing the metals but the fabric in front of the negative.

The professor is already using his discovery to photograph broken limbs and bullets in human bodies.

A $100,000 FIRE.

Chicago Suffers From a Fierce Conflagration Down Town.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Fire started last night in the basement of the building at Nos. 272-276 Madison street, and burned through five floors to the roof, causing damage of $100,000.

The tenants of the building were: The Confectioners' and Bakers' Supply Company, occupying the entire building with the exception of the ground floor room; James Schoenwetter, cigar store, and J. Kohn, saloon.

The damage to the stock of the Bakers' Supply Company is estimated at $75,000, while the building and other tenants are damaged to the extent of $25,000.

Schoenwetter and his wife had a narrow escape from death by suffocation.

Two policemen who discovered the fire broke down the door and pushed their way through the smoke to where the man and his wife were asleep.

After rescuing them they turned in an alarm.

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HIS LIFE WAS A BUSY ONE.

Oakland Is Indebted to Him for Many Mammoth Enterprises.

News was received here this morning at an early hour that John W. Coleman, the capitalist, had died at his winter residence in San Francisco.

The intelligence was so unexpected that it created a shock whenever it was announced to any of the personal friends or business associates of the deceased.

Although nearly all of Mr. Coleman's working hours have been for a long time past spent in San Francisco, yet his place of residence has until recently been in this city, because for about twelve or fifteen years he has resided with his family in the palatial home, 751 Eighth street, at the northwest corner of West street.

Mr. Coleman died about 5 o'clock this morning at his temporary residence, which has been rented for the season at 1822 Sacramento street. His death resulted from a complication of diseases, though he was most violently assailed by heart disease, because death came suddenly.

The remains have been brought to this side of the bay, and the funeral will take place at a time yet to be decided from the family home at the corner of Eighth and West streets.

Mr. Coleman's career was most active and successful. He began life in humble circumstances, but by close and diligent application to business succeeded in acquiring a fortune variously estimated between $1,000,000 and $1,350,000.

As years advanced and as success came to Mr. Coleman, he used his means in furthering vast schemes which, while they tended to his own enrichment, gave employment to large aggregations of employes, ranging from the humble laborer to men skilled in the various learned professions.

To the ordinary observer Mr. Coleman appeared as a gentleman of leisure, whether at home or on the cars or boats in going to or coming from his place of business. His manner was retiring and easy, his disposition cheerful and genial, and his ambition seemed to be able to accomplish as much as possible in the world of finance and enterprise, and at the same time conceal from the eyes of the public the magnitude of his undertakings.

There is no doubt, however, that his demise at the comparatively early age of 59 years was due to maladies which were the direct result of intense application, even if quiet and methodical, of brain power. His interests were so diversified and depended upon so many contingencies, that it was apparent to some of his intimates that sooner or later he would have to succumb.

Despite this fact, so hearty and healthy did he appear, and indeed so greatly did he seem to enjoy life in his own way that his death occasioned the most profound astonishment.

Nobody save John A. Britton knew of his illness, and that gentleman attached no importance to the indisposition. He had seen Mr. Coleman on Saturday last in the San Francisco office of the Oakland Gas, Light & Heat Company about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. At that time Mr. Coleman complained of not feeling well, but said that he thought his ailment was simply the result of indigestion.

A SKETCH OF HIS CAREER.

John W. Coleman was born in Kentucky in 1837, and, after receiving a common school education, early undertook the study and became proficient in telegraphy.

He came to California at an early day and located in Sacramento, where he remained for a time. He then went into the mercantile business and conducted for a time a lucrative trade with the mines. His first investment in mining interests was in the vicinity of Grass Valley, and after he had been successful in his ventures there and later in Nevada, he moved to San Francisco.

There he was an active and central figure in the wild and exciting scenes in many of the stock flurries which enlivened the Stock Exchange. He became the senior member of the stock broker firm of Coleman & Keene, the junior member of the firm being the celebrated James R. Keene, otherwise known as "Jim." Keene, now of New York. This firm was one of the most successful and boldest combinations in the exchange, and when the lively times in which it flourished came to a close Keene went to New York, where he also attained to prominence in the world of stocks and bonds. This firm was in existence during the years 1872, 1873 and 1874, and when it was disrupted Mr. Coleman was in the possession of a goodly amount of goods as the result of successful ventures.

It was soon after the last mentioned year that he branched out in enterprises that dealt in more tangible things than the speculative values of stocks and with many of these enterprises he remained connected until the time of his death.

It is not possible to name these undertakings in chronological order, because, although personally known by many people the private affairs of Mr. Coleman were in many instances kept only to himself. So true is this that in any of the historical publications which have from time to time appeared in this section in which biography formed one of the features one looks in vain for a sketch of the life of John W. Coleman.

Mr. Coleman owned 200 shares in the California Safe Depository and Trust Company of San Francisco and was one of the most active promoters of the enterprise.

He had long been an interested stockholder in the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company. At the time of his death he had attained to the presidency of that concern, having been elected a few weeks ago to the place which had recently been rendered vacant by the demise of Joseph G. Eastland. This same company yesterday secured control of the Berkeley Electric Light Company and at a meeting of the latter organization last night J. W. Coleman was elected one of the new directors.

He served for many years as president of the North Pacific road and under his management the property was rendered very remunerative.

He was also largely interested in the United Carriage Company of San Francisco.

In 1891 he became a member by appointment of the Governor of the Board of Directors of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind Asylum at Berkeley. His term of office with that of the other members Dr. William C. Bartlett, John K. McLean, Warren Olney and A. T. Ralston, should have expired last year at the will of Governor Budd, but the Governor had not seen fit to change the composition of the board. Mr. Coleman was an active member of the board and it was only from the last meeting of the directors that Mr. Coleman was missed.

On the 17th of July, 1893, there was quite a change in the composition of the Board of Directors of the Oakland Consolidated road. That change resulted in the selection of Mr. Coleman as vice president, to succeed J. E. McElrath.

Mr. Coleman had long had his eyes turned on the development of the coal deposits in Alameda county mainly with the hope of establishing large manufacturing establishments in Oakland. W. C. Coleman had preceded him in this respect, having given a great deal of attention to the deposits at Corral Hollow. Finally James Treadwell was inspired to also look into the matter, with the result that about the middle of last year a corporation was formed for the purpose of building a railroad to Corral Hollow, developing the mines and thus placing the output upon the market. This corporation is now known as the San Francisco & San Joaquin Coal Company, one of the directors of which was John W. Coleman, the other directors being James Treadwell, Henry Williams, John Cole, J. D. Fry, J. C. Johnson, R. D. Fry and H. A. Wells. The mines are stocked for $5,000,000 with 50,000 shares. This enterprise will be of incalculable advantage because it will place coal down on the wharves in Oakland at such a figure as to render profitable all kinds of manufactures.

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The family of the deceased occupied a high position in the social life of Oakland and the bereavement will cause sympathetic sorrow in many an Oakland home.

MOUNTAIN VIEW MATTERS.

A Number of Fine Monuments to Be Erected Soon.

The annual meeting of the lot holders of the Mountain View Cemetery Association was held yesterday, A. K. P. Harmon presiding. Superintendent Smith reported that there has been an increase in the number of interments and that there has been one acre of ground added to the area of the cemetery during the past year.

Directors J. S. Emery, J. W. Phillips, G. E. Grant and A. A. Moore were re-elected. A number of improvements and fine monuments will be erected in the cemetery during this year, among them being one designed by the Elks.

Senator Perkins has introduced a bill providing for the beautifying of the G. A. R. plot, which it is expected will become a law.

Jury Needs.

The Superior judges have made an order fixing the number of trial and grand jurors that will be required on the regular panels for this year. By the terms of the order 150 grand jurors and 400 trial jurors will be required during 1896.

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He said that the last Congress passed a bill which carried ample revenue for the government and a small surplus besides.

The supreme court had stripped the measure of $50,000,000 of the revenue by a decision which was a surprise to nearly every intelligent lawyer on the floor.

While discussing the provision of the court he would observe the comity between the co-ordinate branches of the government, but he would say the income tax decision was one of the most remarkable ever delivered and was so considered by the majority of the people, including able lawyers everywhere.

AFTER PULITZER.

Lodge called attention today to the recent telegrams between the Prince of Wales, Rothschilds and other well-known British subjects and Mr. Pulitzer, of the New York World, concerning the Venezuelan and financial policies of the government.

He said they were in contravention of the statute of the United States forbidding such communications between private citizens and officers of foreign governments, and the attorney-general should prosecute Pulitzer for thus attempting to influence this government.

Gray of Delaware defended Pulitzer.

THE HOUSE.

Loud of California Asks for Information Regarding Postoffices.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The House today adopted a joint resolution authorizing Lieutenant Sidney S. Jordan, Fifth U. S. Artillery, and Captain E. C. Carter, assistant surgeon U. S. A., to accept medals from the British government.

Member-elect Allen of Utah was sworn in, the judiciary committee reporting there was no doubt concerning his eligibility.

Loud (Rep.) of California reported from the committee on postoffices a resolution calling on the Postmaster General for information concerning the number of clerks employed since June 30, 1895, to do the work formerly done by canceling machines, the number of clerks in the twenty largest postoffices whose salaries have been reduced, the number increased and the number of new men employed since June 30, 1894, with the reasons therefor and results in the matter of efficiency.

A report from the committee on judiciary calling upon the Attorney General for information as to what steps, if any, he has taken to enforce the laws of the United States against trusts, combinations and conspiracies, and what further legislation, if any, is needed, was made by Henderson of Iowa. The resolution was adopted.

On motion of Dingley, a resolution was adopted, calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information as to the amounts received from the lessees of the Alaskan seal islands each year from May, 1890, and from 1868 to 1890, and the number of skins taken each year, also the cost of policing the Bering sea and North Pacific each year since 1890, and the amounts paid for the support of the natives of Alaska.

The report made by Aldrich (Rep.) of Illinois, chairman of the committee on accounts, recommending the appointment and release of sundry minor officials of the House, evoked a warm discussion, in which Johnson of Indiana and Walker of Massachusetts, both Republicans, attacked the alleged combination which controlled the appointments of House officers.

The recommendations of the committee on accounts were approved, and at 1:25 o'clock the House adjourned until tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS.

The President Announces the California Debris Commission.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The president sent the following nominations to the Senate today: Lieutenant Colonel William E. King, Corps of Engineers, to be a member of the Missouri River Commission.

To be members of the California Debris Commission, Colonel Charles Russell Suter, Major Charles E. L. B. Davis, Captain C. D. Gillette, all of the Corps of Engineers.

Treasury, Third Lieutenant William H. O'Day of Pennsylvania and Third Lieutenant Henry L. Peckham of Rhode Island to be second lieutenant, revenue cutter service.

PACIFIC RAILROADS.

The House Committee Meets and Prepares for Business.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The first meeting of the House Committee on Pacific Railroads held today was a largely formal affair for organization and while no definite step was taken toward framing a plan to adjust the indebtedness of the roads to the government, it was decided to begin that work at once and hold the first meeting for the purpose on Saturday next.

Hearings to interested parties if any are granted will be brief.

SEEKING RECOGNITION.

Leaders of the Cuban Revolutionary Party Applying at Washington.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Several members of the House consulted the leaders today regarding the introduction of resolution for the recognition of the insurgents of Cuba as belligerents.

It is quite likely, however, the Cuban question will not come up for discussion until the committee on foreign affairs makes a report.

Representative Sulzer of New York City called at the State Department today accompanied by President Palma of the Cuban revolutionary committee, Secretary Quesada, Horation Rubens, a prominent Cuban sympathizer, and Manuel Sanguilly, brother of Sanguilly, now held in Moro Castle, Havana.

Secretary Olney was about to leave for a Cabinet meeting so the party did not see him.

They left a large bundle of papers for his inspection.

It is believed the main purpose of the visit was to secure energetic action in behalf of the imprisoned Sanguilly, who claims American citizenship.

It is learned though that the chief purpose of the leaders of the Cuban revolutionary party in coming to Washington today was to push vigorously the movement to secure the recognition of revolutionists by this government.

They made Secretary Olney a brief but forcible presentation of the claims of the insurgents to recognition.

Recently the House adopted a resolution calling upon the State Department for all the information in its possession concerning the revolution.

President Palma and his associates at once began the compilation of evidence in justification of their cause.

It is probable the documents given Secretary Olney or their substance will soon be transmitted to the House.

There is a strong sentiment in the House which has been advanced by the recent successes of the Cubans that this government should do all in its power consistent with international usages, to assist the patriots.

President Palma predicts the insurgents will capture Havana within three months and a Cuban republic will be established in six months, if it has the recognition of the United States.

RAIDING THE RESERVE.

Three Millions More Gold Is Announced for Shipment.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Lazard Freres & Co. have ordered $1,000,000 gold at the subtreasury for shipment tomorrow. Heidelbach & Ickleheimer also ship $500,000 gold bars.

The total of gold engaged up to 1 o'clock today for tomorrow's shipment is as follows: Lazard Freres & Co., $1,625,000 gold bars; Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co., $500,000 gold bars and $300,000 gold coin.

A RUN IS FEARED.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The Post's Washington special says:

The fears entertained of a run on the gold reserve bid fair to be realized.

Information was received today at the treasury department that orders for the importation of gold have been cancelled and $3,000,000 will go out by tomorrow's steamers.

Private advices from New York also tell of large withdrawals for domestic sequestration.

This is what the administration feared more than withdrawals for exports.

"Scare dispatches" poured into Washington this afternoon from Wall street news agencies asking for the latest about the treasury situation.

It is not improbable the secretary of the treasury may be forced to abandon his popular loan programme and make another syndicate deal within ten days or two weeks to protect the reserve against annihilation.

The reserve will be down to $58,000,000 by tomorrow night on known figures.

NEED BE NO SCARE.

The Baltimore Probably Laid Up for a Week at Yokohama.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—No alarm is felt at the navy department over the U. S. Baltimore, reported in San Francisco to be overdue.

She was sailing under orders to stop at Yokohama, and if she had laid up there a week for any cause, she would not yet be due.

FOR THE FINANCIERS.

Experts Say, "What Will Become of the Bond Issue."

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—A special from Washington says: Now comes the important information from Mr. Morgan, who has formed, or is forming, a bond syndicate, that he will take all bonds offered by the government or none. This is his ultimatum.

The experts in finance know what this means. Hear what the best one in the government says under cover of confidence:

"The syndicate will get the bonds because speculation is a cold-blooded game.

"There is no sentiment in Wall street. It is well enough to speak of patriotism and brotherly love among the citizens of a nation, but those sentiments do not spring from the hearts of men who corner gold.

"Just as sure as those bonds are sold just that sure will Wall street get them."

"A bank in Stubenville, Ohio, the National Exchange bank, telegraphed today offering to take $20,000 of the bonds at $1.12.

"Other banks, I am told, have sent similar messages to Mr. Carlisle.

"A dozen or more of them were received before noon. But there were no messages from New York or from Philadelphia or from Boston.

"Those cities harbor the men who control the gold of this country. They may not have it themselves, but they have a way of getting it.

"When you have learned the intricacies of finance you will learn that the bankers of New York with their affiliations and connections reaching across the sea can band themselves together under the present laws and manipulate the gold reserve of this government as nicely as an engineer manipulates his throttle."

There is belief expressed in other quarters that in the end the syndicate will control this bond issue just as it did the last.

It is thought that while the public may subscribe to some extent, the great financiers, the men who have formed the syndicate, will go together and make a price for practically the whole issue, which would be higher than the average individual would care to give, and which would compel the Secretary of the Treasury to award the bonds to the combination.

Secretary Carlisle was prompted to write his bond call by news which he had received from Secretary Olney, who had been in New York, and was then on his way to Washington. Just before 9 o'clock Sunday night Mr. Olney reached Washington and was driven immediately to the White House.

A few minutes later Mr. Carlisle and Attorney-General Harmon were summoned to the White House by telephone.

Then Secretary Carlisle, reading from the notes he had made at his home, dictated the call, which was later made public.

What information did Mr. Olney bring from New York? That is a question not so easily answered. The men who know are few.

The private secretary to the President was besieged for information on this point, and in reply to all questions he remarked that he belonged to the great majority who knew nothing.

Some of the men whose opinions are worthy believe that Senator Elkins' resolution, which was discussed so warmly in the Senate Friday afternoon, was responsible in part for the sudden issue of the bond call.

By this resolution Senator Elkins sought to declare the sense of the Senate to be against the sale of bonds to a syndicate, in other words, against a private sale.

This resolution rests on the calendar of the Senate as unfinished business, to be taken up at noon today.

STOCKS STILL SHIFTY.

The Market Is Awaiting the Issue of the Bonds.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The uncertainty regarding the government bond issue and the evidence of political and financial disturbance abroad dominated the opening here.

London cables reported declines in Americans ranging up to 2 per cent below yesterday's final New York prices.

Grangers are under a special column now on the government report indicating that the crops of wheat, corn and oats in 1895 yielded the farmers about 26,000,000 bushels less than even in previous light years.

The market started inactive and weak with sharp declines of all leading shares.

At 10:15 there was a loss in sugar of 1¾. Pullman dropped 6 per cent, Pacific Mail 3½ per cent. Large blocks of stocks were thrown on the market.

Toward 10:30 the tone of speculation underwent a change and some gains were made.

Silver is 67¾c, and lead is $3.00.

Stock speculation during the second hour was quiet but firm.

The prices at midday as a rule were but slightly below yesterday's closing figures.

IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The stock market was very weak, but business closed slightly above the lowest prices. American securities were very flat.

PORTUGESE HAPPY.

The Revolt at Mozambique Said to Be Effectually Crushed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Acting Portuguese Minister Senor Tavera has received a cablegram announcing the capture of Gungunhama and Son Guide by Captain Mouchino.

The news of the capture of the leaders of the rebellion at Mozambique has caused the greatest enthusiasm at Lisbon, and it is considered in Portugal that the capture means a termination of the rebellion.

SCIENCE'S GREAT STRIDES

The Latest Discovery Is of a Marvellous Advance in Photography

Impressions Can Be Obtained Inside Flesh and Organic Substances.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A dispatch to a local paper from London says:

The noise of war's alarm should not distract attention from the marvelous triumph of science which is reported from Vienna.

It is announced that Professor Routtgen, of the Wurzburg University, has discovered a light, which for the purposes of photography will penetrate flesh and most other organic substances.

The professor has succeeded in photographing metal weights which were in a closed wooden case, also a man's hand which shows only the bones, the flesh being invisible.

The Chronicle correspondent says the discovery is simple. The professor takes a so-called Crooke's pipe, viz.: a vacuum glass pipe with an induction current going through it and by means of rays which the pipe emits, photographs on ordinary photographic plates.

In contrast with the ordinary rays of light these rays penetrate organic matter and other opaque substances just as ordinary rays penetrate glass.

He has also succeeded in photographing hidden metals with a cloth thrown over the camera.

The rays penetrated not only the wooden case containing the metals but the fabric in front of the negative.

The professor is already using his discovery to photograph broken limbs and bullets in human bodies.

A $100,000 FIRE.

Chicago Suffers From a Fierce Conflagration Down Town.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Fire started last night in the basement of the building at Nos. 272-276 Madison street, and burned through five floors to the roof, causing damage of $100,000.

The tenants of the building were: The Confectioners' and Bakers' Supply Company, occupying the entire building with the exception of the ground floor room; James Schoenwetter, cigar store, and J. Kohn, saloon.

The damage to the stock of the Bakers' Supply Company is estimated at $75,000, while the building and other tenants are damaged to the extent of $25,000.

Schoenwetter and his wife had a narrow escape from death by suffocation.

Two policemen who discovered the fire broke down the door and pushed their way through the smoke to where the man and his wife were asleep.

After rescuing them they turned in an alarm.

Preliminary to a series of short talks on good clothe—eye openers on prices and money saving suggestion d We commence tomorrow. s.
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J. W. COLEMAN IS DEAD.

The Well-Known Capitalist Suddenly Removed From the Scene.

HEART DISEASE DID IT.

He Had Not Been Well, But His Illness Was Not Deemed Serious.

HIS LIFE WAS A BUSY ONE.

Oakland Is Indebted to Him for Many Mammoth Enterprises.

News was received here this morning at an early hour that John W. Coleman, the capitalist, had died at his winter residence in San Francisco.

The intelligence was so unexpected that it created a shock whenever it was announced to any of the personal friends or business associates of the deceased.

Although nearly all of Mr. Coleman's working hours have been for a long time past spent in San Francisco, yet his place of residence has until recently been in this city, because for about twelve or fifteen years he has resided with his family in the palatial home, 754 Eighth street, at the northwest corner of West street.

Mr. Coleman died about 6 o'clock this morning at his temporary residence, which has been rented for the season at 1822 Sacramento street. His death resulted from a complication of diseases, though he was most violently assailed by heart disease, because death came suddenly.

The remains have been brought to this side of the bay, and the funeral will take place at a time yet to be decided from the family home at the corner of Eighth and West streets.

Mr. Coleman's career was most active and successful. He began life in humble circumstances, but by close and diligent application to business succeeded in acquiring a fortune variously estimated between $1,000,000 and $1,250,000.

As years advanced and as success came to Mr. Coleman, he used his means in furthering vast schemes which, while they tended to his own enrichment, gave employment to large aggregations of employes, ranging from the humble laborer to men skilled in the various learned professions.

To the ordinary observer Mr. Coleman appeared as a gentleman of leisure, whether at home or on the cars or boats in going to or coming from his place of business. His manner was retiring and easy, his disposition cheerful and genial, and his ambition seemed to be able to accomplish as much as possible in the world of finance and enterprise, and at the same time conceal from the eyes of the public the magnitude of his undertakings.

There is no doubt, however, that his demise at the comparatively early age of 59 years was due to maladies which were the direct result of intense application, even if quiet and methodical, of brain power. His interests were so diversified and depended upon so many contingencies, that it was apparent to some of his intimates that sooner or later he would have to succumb.

Despite this fact, so hearty and healthy did he appear, and indeed so greatly did he seem to enjoy life in his own way that his death occasioned the most profound astonishment.

Nobody save John A. Britton knew of his illness, and that gentleman attached no importance to the indisposition. He had seen Mr. Coleman on Saturday last in the San Francisco office of the Oakland Gas, Light & Heat Company about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. At that time Mr. Coleman complained of not feeling well, but said that he thought his ailment was simply the result of indigestion.

A SKETCH OF HIS CAREER.

John W. Coleman was born in Kentucky in 1837, and, after receiving a common school education, early undertook the study and became proficient in telegraphy.

He came to California at an early day and located in Sacramento, where he remained for a time. He then went into the mercantile business and conducted for a time a lucrative trade with the mines. His first investment in mining interests was in the vicinity of Grass Valley, and after he had been successful in his ventures there and later in Nevada, he moved to San Francisco.

There he was an active and central figure in the wild and exciting scenes in many of the stock flurries which enlivened the Stock Exchange. He became the senior member of the stock broker firm of Coleman & Keene, the junior member of the firm being the celebrated James R. Keene, otherwise known as "Jim." Keene, now of New York. This firm was one of the most successful and boldest combinations in the exchange, and when the lively times in which it flourished came to a close Keene went to New York, where he also attained to prominence in the world of stocks and bonds. This firm was in existence during the years 1872, 1873 and 1874, and when it was disrupted Mr. Coleman was in the possession of a goodly amount of goods as the result of successful ventures.

It was soon after the last mentioned year that he branched out in enterprises that dealt in more tangible things than the speculative values of stocks and with many of these enterprises he remained connected until the time of his death.

It is not possible to name these undertakings in chronological order, because, although personally known by many people, the private affairs of Mr. Coleman were in many instances kept only to himself. So true is this that in any of the historical publications which have from time to time appeared in this action in which biography formed one of the features one looks in vain for a sketch of the life of John W. Coleman.

Mr. Coleman owned 200 shares in the California Safe Depository and Trust Company of San Francisco and was one of the most active promoters of the enterprise.

He had long been an interested stockholder in the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company. At the time of his death he had attained to the presidency of that concern, having been elected a few weeks ago to the place which had recently been rendered vacant by the demise of Joseph G. Eastland. This same company yesterday secured control of the Berkeley Electric Light Company and at a meeting of the latter organization last night J. W. Coleman was elected one of the new directors.

He served for many years as president of the North Pacific road and under his management the property was rendered very remunerative.

He was also largely interested in the United Carriage Company of San Francisco.

In 1891 he became a member by appointment of the Governor of the Board of Directors of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind Asylum at Berkeley. His term of office with that of the other members Dr. William C. Bartlett, John K. McLean, Warren Olney and A. T. Ralston, should have expired last year at the will of Governor Budd, but the Governor had not seen fit to change the composition of the board. Mr. Coleman was an active member of the board and it was only from the last meeting of the directors that Mr. Coleman was missed.

On the 17th of July, 1893, there was quite a change in the composition of the Board of Directors of the Oakland Consolidated road. That change resulted in the selection of Mr. Coleman as vice president, to succeed J. E. McElrath.

Mr. Coleman had long had his eyes turned on the development of the coal deposits in Alameda county mainly with the hope of establishing large manufacturing establishments in Oakland. W. C. Coleman had preceded him in this respect, having given a great deal of attention to the deposits at Corral Hollow. Finally James Treadwell was inspired to also look into the matter, with the result that about the middle of last year a corporation was formed for the purpose of building a railroad to Corral Hollow, developing the mines and thus placing the output upon the market. This corporation is now known as the San Francisco & San Joaquin Coal Company, one of the directors of which was John W. Coleman, the other directors being James Treadwell, Henry Williams, John Cole, J. D. Fry, J. C. Johnson, R. D. Fry and H. A. Wells. The mines are stocked for $5,000,000 with 50,000 shares. This enterprise will be of incalculable advantage because it will place coal down on the wharves in Oakland at such a figure as to render profitable all kinds of manufactures.

Mr. Coleman was married when a young man to Miss Julia Pierson, who survives him, as do also two children, Miss Jessie Coleman and Harry Coleman. A third child was Ross Coleman. He was a graduate of the naval academy at Annapolis, but died while on his first cruise on the Pacific after his graduation.

The family of the deceased occupied a high position in the social life of Oakland and the bereavement will cause sympathetic sorrow in many an Oakland home.

MOUNTAIN VIEW MATTERS.

A Number of Fine Monuments to Be Erected Soon.

The annual meeting of the lot holders of the Mountain View Cemetery Association was held yesterday, A. K. P. Harmon presiding. Superintendent Smith reported that there has been an increase in the number of interments and that there has been one acre of ground added to the area of the cemetery during the past year.

Directors J. S. Emery, J. W. Phillips, G. E. Grant and A. A. Moore were re-elected. A number of improvements and fine monuments will be erected in the cemetery during this year, among them being one designed by the Elks.

Senator Perkins has introduced a bill providing for the beautifying of the G. A. R. plot, which it is expected will become a law.

JURY NEEDS.

The Superior judges have made an order fixing the number of trial and grand jurors that will be required on the regular panels for this year. By the terms of the order 100 grand jurors and 400 trial jurors will be required during 1896.

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Commencing Monday next we will inaugurate a sale for the clearance of odds and ends of stock previous to stock taking. Immense cuts in DRESS GOODS as we must close them out. No room for prices. Come in and see for yourself.

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REMEMBER

That the sale commences Monday morning.

RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN

W. J. Gardner of the Southern Pacific Killed While at Work.

He Was Making a Coupling and His Foot Caught in a Frog.

William J. Gardner, fireman of the switch engine in the Peralta street yards, was killed while on duty yesterday afternoon. Mr. Gardner was superintending the making up of a freight train when the fatal accident happened. He tried to couple a car to a train already attached to the engine. The coupling was out of order and the pin would not fit in the socket. Thinking that he could fasten it while the train was in motion, Mr. Gardner did not motion the engineer to stop, the train pushed by the engine going slowly down the track.

Meanwhile Gardner persisted in his efforts, unmindful of the danger. His head was between the cars and he was walking sideways. Consequently he did not notice the switch that the train was approaching. Suddenly the victim's foot was caught in the frog. He made a violent effort to extricate himself but could do nothing. Almost instantly he fell across the track in front of the wheels. The train was stopped as soon as possible, but not until his body was severed nearly in two. Death was instantaneous. Beside the first shock Gardner suffered no pain.

The remains were taken to the morgue. An inquest will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Gardner was in San Francisco and could not be found until nearly 11 o'clock this morning. The poor woman was stunned by the suddenness of the blow, but bore the shock bravely. The couple had no children.

Gardner was 32 years of age and a respected employe of the Southern Pacific Company. For the last two months he has been staying at Hotel Crellin, where his quiet, pleasant manners won him many friends.

THE MILK RAIDS.

Inspectors Pierce and Ott Have Another Turn at the Dairymen.

Milk Inspector Pierce and Sanitary Inspector Ott were out after the festive milkmen again this morning. They left the health office at 2 o'clock, and long before the first wagon arrived they had taken their stand in the northern end of the city. Most of the milk stood the test, and consequently little was emptied into the gutter.

Those tested and the results were as follows:

Bliss, 3, 3 2-5; Lorin Jersey Farm, 3, 4; Lorette's Empire Dairy, 3 2-5, 3 3-5; Holisin's dairy, 3, 3; Cereto's dairy, 2 3-5, 3; Cori's dairy, 3 2-5, 4; Anderson's dairy, 3 2-5, 3 2-5; Parker's dairy, 4 3-5, 4 3-5.

The inspectors intend to continue their work daily until every wagon load of milk has been sampled.

THINKS SHE IS ILL.

Margaret McKeown's Hallucination Is Inquired Into.

The examination of Margaret McKeown before the lunacy commissioners in Judge Fricks court today, was not completed. She seemed to be a friendless, homeless woman who is possessed of the hallucination that she is afflicted with an incurable disease. The testimony showed she had been a frequent inmate of the San Francisco and the Alameda county almshouse, but had refused to be treated at the latter place. She had given the physicians considerable trouble. Further testimony will be taken tomorrow.

SENT TO IONE.

Samuel McCrea Could Not Be Controlled.

Samuel McCrea, a 14-year-old boy, who has given his mother much cause for complaint, was committed to the Preston School of Industry at Ione by Judge Frick today. The boy had been in the habit of remaining away from home for weeks and his mother testified he was entirely beyond parental control.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Edward W. O'Neill, San Francisco	24
Mary E. Foley, San Francisco	27
Charles Dibiolles, Oakland	28
Marie J. M. Dupont, Oakland	28

TWO LEVEL

Teaspoonfuls raises your bread as high as you want higher than any other—that is, a level teaspoonful of

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ALL GROCERS SELL IT.

LAMB GROWING WORSE.

Serious Complications Now Surrounding the Ex-Convict.

An Operation Will Be Undertaken to Remove the Bullet.

Thomas Lamb, the ex-convict who was shot yesterday by Police Officer Andrews, kept the Receiving Hospital in an uproar last night by his raving and howling for morphine. Lamb is a confirmed "fiend," and the surgeons who are attending his case administered two grains during the night, but this far from satisfied the wounded man's desire for the baneful drug. His supply was cut off because the physicians feared the effect upon the wound and their patient's condition.

Steward Victory passed a sleepless night. Lamb's outcries could be heard for blocks, and the large quantity of the drug that was administered seemed to have little or no effect.

A careful examination of the wound made last night and the general condition of the patient led the surgeons to decide an operation would be necessary to locate the bullet, which had gone beyond the reach of the surgeon's probe. The belief was expressed that it had struck the pelvic bone on the right side and had lodged somewhere in the abdominal region.

If such were the case an operation would be necessary as a last chance to discover the location of the bullet and to remove it before peritonitis set in. There is danger also of blood poisoning so long as the bullet remains in that vital portion of the body.

The serious nature of the wound is a source of a great deal of distress to Officer Andrews, who said to day he regretted extremely the result of his shot. He believed he was doing nothing more than his full duty in bringing Lamb down after the prisoner had been warned several times and had unheeded the repeated commands of the officer to stop. Lamb apparently thought that Andrews was, in the parlance of the street, "running a bluff," for the fleeing man only replied with an oath each time he was ordered to halt after he made the break out of the fire engine house.

A COUNTY COMMITTEE CALL

The Republicans Are Ordered to Assemble Next Saturday.

A meeting of the Republican County Central Committee has been called for next Saturday afternoon in Judge Allen's courtroom at 2 o'clock. The call has been issued by Chairman Mautalen.

For several days past rumors to the effect that Chairman Mautalen had announced that he intended to tender his resignation as chairman of the committee.

Mr. Mautalen was seen by a reporter for the Tribune this afternoon and asked whether or not the rumor was well founded.

Mr. Mautalen replied that he had not announced that he was going to resign and, further, that he did not intend to resign from the position as chairman. He had never promised to resign, but he had said that if the committee desired to change the list of officers, it could do so, if it were possible, by reorganization.

It does not appear, however, how the committee could be reorganized, unless it should first be disorganized, and then the question would arise as to whether another committee could be authorized to act without the appointment of a county convention.

At the same time, Mr. Mautalen says that there are six members of the committee who favor his retention of the position of chairman, and those six comprise a majority of the body.

The best of the season—Dramatic and musical, Unitarian Church, Thursday evening, 50 cts.

Sunday School Installation.

The installation of the Sunday School officers of the First M. E. church was held last Sunday. Dr. Kummer, pastor of the church, officiated and as the officers stood he read their duties. Those who have pledged themselves to assume the cares of the school for the coming year are as follows:

Myron T. Holcomb, superintendent; H. W. Baxter, assistant superintendent; John Ames, assistant superintendent; Miss M. C. Heaton, lady assistant superintendent; J. C. Hill, superintendent local work; Dr. R. T. Stratton, superintendent senior department; Mrs. A. D. Coplan, superintendent junior department; Mrs. Grace Depew, superintendent primary department; R. W. Meek, secretary; F. A. Webster, treasurer; O. H. Walker, librarian; L. G. Burpee, financial secretary.

The Manse Meetings.

The art exhibit at the Manse, corner of Eighth and Wood streets, West Oakland, which has been so largely attended the past week, will close on Thursday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. Jorgensen will be present. The special guests for Wednesday afternoon are the members of the Ebell Society, and for Thursday afternoon and evening all contributors to and members of the Manse Association.

Bad News From Spain.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BARCELONA, Jan. 6.—News most unfavorable to the Spanish government has been received from Cuba. It is understood the insurgent forces are pressing around Havana.

ONE POINT AHEAD.

The Railroad Is Sustained in an Important Ruling.

AFFIDAVITS THROWN OUT.

The Commissioner's Figures Not Allowed to Stand.

GENERAL COAST GOSSIP.

Governor Budd After One of the Leading School Editors.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The hearing of the injunction suit of the Southern Pacific railroad against the State Board of Railroad Commissioners to restrain the board from carrying into effect its proposed schedule reducing the rates on grain and other commodities transported over the company's lines was resumed today in the United States Circuit court before Judge McKenna.

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A dispatch from the military camp at Aldershot says the general belief, almost backed by proof, prevails that the authorities are considering the mobilizing of the army reserves and a part of the militia.

The men employed in the ordnance stores are very busy.

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The Insurgents have burned a mixed train from Cardenas, near Banaguizes, and the Spaniards claim they violated all the women and young girls among the passengers.

Railroad communication in the province of Matanzas is being resumed.

RAILROADS PLYING AGAIN.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The Central cable office of the Western Union Telegraph Company has sent out the following: "Railway communication between Havana and the Cuba Submarine Company's station at Batabano has been re-established. Trains leave twice a day, at 6 A. M. and 2 P. M., returning about the same hours. Telegrams for West Indian points south of Havana can go forward via Key West, subject to some delay."

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He afterward served in the engineer corps at Jefferson Barracks, and in 1867 was assistant engineer in charge of the improvement of Boston harbor. He also assisted in the construction of the defenses of Portsmouth harbor, N. H.

He was appointed to the rank of major, since which time he served at the American Legation of London.

Of late years, Major Post was detailed to the engineering corps in the Department of the East. He was a member of the University club.

The Wheat Market.

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The proceedings taken in the Superior Court this morning looking toward the restoration of De Costa to capacity were terminated rather suddenly by Judge Frick because of the stories told by Gregory Zellich and J. Silva, friends of the old man. They intimated that the court had been imposed upon by J. Martin in the proceedings that were taken to have De Costa declared incompetent some months ago.

It was stated that Martin had gone to De Costa after he lost his money and told him he would have to show lunacy in order to secure its return. Martin, it was stated, represented to De Costa that he (Martin) would be appointed his guardian in the event he was declared unfit to handle his own business affairs and would be enabled to arrange for the return of the $2500 which De Costa claims Wenceslow secured.

In accordance with that plan De Costa began to exhibit evidences of a failing mind at once. Then followed his examination before Judge Frick and a subsequent order appointing Martin as guardian of the old man.

Attorneys Garrity and McElroy, who have had charge of De Costa's affairs since the action was brought against Wenceslow for the recovery of the money, only learned today the strange story. They have had a petition for the restoration of their client on hand and they were ready to proceed against Wenceslow in a civil action when he was declared incompetent.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The hearing of the petition was on the calendar this morning in Judge Fricks' department. De Costa was a witness and then his friend Silva related how Martin had gone to the old man's family and had told them if De Costa were declared incompetent and he were appointed his guardian the money could be recovered.

Gregory Zellick corroborated the story and told the court that Martin had been to him and requested him to go to court as a witness to De Costa's inability to care for himself.

Rose Andre, a tall and picturesque brunette, who is a niece of De Costa's, said her uncle lived with the family at 620 Fifth street. She had never noticed anything in his actions that would lead to believe that he was unable to take care of his affairs.

Judge Frick ordered the sheriff to subpoena Martin to be in attendance on the court at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning to give some explanation of his queer conduct in the matter.

De Costa's story of the loss of his money was to the effect that he had accumulated about $2500 and intended to return to his native land. He met Wenceslow, he claimed, who learned of the old man's plans and induced him to remain here. An agreement was made whereby Wenceslow was to take the old man's money in return for care during the remainder of De Costa's life. The old man said he went to live with Wenceslow as by agreement, but had remained there only a few days when he was kicked out into the street.

THE FIRE CHIEF.

Commissioners Deny They Have Been Talking About Campbell.

The Police and Fire Commissioners will meet this afternoon but nothing will be done regarding a change in the head of the fire department. Mayor Davie says that he never talked of voting for Fred A. Campbell as a successor to Lawton, and Perrsol says he has never talked with the Mayor or anyone else about such a change.

TOWN TOPICS.

There will be installations of officers in the hall of Lyon Post, No. 8, G. A. R., tonight.

Burglars entered the residence of Councilman Manuel at 1423 Chestnut street, Saturday night, and secured about $140 in money and a gold watch and chain.

Miss Portia Knight and Lillian Lysler in "A Fair Encounter," Unitarian Church, Thursday evening.

The Goldberg Estate.

The final account of the executors of the Morris Goldberg estate has been allowed. The account shows that $158,822 was distributed and $38,450 remains in the executors' hands. The attorneys for the executors were allowed $4,000 additional; A. Ruef, $1,000; H. H. North, $1,000.

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Bad Explosions.

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Knight's Report.

The semi-annual report of Public Administrator Knight shows the appraised value of property that passed through his hands during the last half of 1895 to have been $55,638.88; of this $126.58 was coin.

The Garbage Bids.

The Board of Public Works meets tonight, at which time bids for the removal of garbage will be opened.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

KELLOGG IS ON TRIAL.

The Famous Bribery Charges Are Now to Be Well Investigated.

George Savage's Exploit at the Pier Was the Cause of All the Trouble.

The trial of George H. Kellogg, the former Southern Pacific detective indicted by the grand jury on a charge of attempting to secure a bribe, was commenced today in Judge Greene's department of the Superior Court.

The case is in the hands of Deputy District Attorney Melvin for the prosecution.

The morning session was exhausted in securing a jury.

Kellogg was indicted on evidence furnished by George Savage, alias "Kid Jones," a young man of unsavory reputation in police circles, whose uncle was a San Francisco bookmaker. The uncle told the grand jury that Kellogg had offered for $200 to "square" young Savage's case in the Superior Court, where he was charged with grand larceny. A number of incriminating letters signed "Boston" came into the possession of the District Attorney. These it was stated had been written by Kellogg to Savage.

The young man was arrested with a companion by Kellogg at the broad gauge ferry depot on a charge of having picked the pocket of a woman of a purse containing $150. The companion, Philbrown, secured a bond and disappeared. The case against Savage was never tried because the complaining witness went to Honolulu.

BOOMING CRIPPLE CREEK.

The Mining Exchanges Are Keeping the Place in the Front Rank

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The formal opening of the Chicago Mineral and Mining Board, announced for yesterday, has been put off until January 21st, as the quarters to be occupied are not yet in order.

Three applications for membership were received yesterday by telegraph, making 218 members of the 250 to which the board is limited.

J. Rush Field, Benjamin Zeitz and M. J. Sherman of the listing committee left last night for the West. They will look over the different districts and make arrangements for listing the better grade of stocks.

They will not confine themselves to Cripple Creek, but will include Butte, Helena, Salt Lake and others.

It is not the intention of the Chicago Mining Board to confine its operations to gold and silver.

Iron, coal, zinc—in fact, the stock of reputable mines of whatever product will be listed.

Ask a Guardian.

Application was made this afternoon by Kirkham Wright to have Kate K. Wheeler appointed guardian of Mrs. General Kirkham, on the ground of old age and physical infirmity. The matter will be heard January 14th.

Found Dead in Bed.

J. W. Brown, formerly a Fresno capitalist, was found dead in his bed this afternoon at the Girard House.

The wedding of A. J. Edwards of Dunsmuir and Mrs. Nellie Breheus of this city was celebrated on New Year's eve at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bray, 1358 Eleventh street, Rev. H. H. Rice was the officiating clergyman. Mr. Edwards is a conductor on the Dunsmuir division, and at that city the happy couple will make their home.

Too Late for Classification

SITUATION WANTED—MALE.

FIRST-CLASS German, French and American cook; is able to take full charge of kitchen; wishes situation in private family in Oakland; wages not under $30; references given. Address Cook, 1105 Sacramento st., San Fran.

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AN EASTERN lady wishes a position as housekeeper. Enquire at 775 22d st.

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MEDIUMS.

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Meanwhile Gardner persisted in his efforts, unmindful of the danger. His head was between the cars and he was walking sideways. Consequently he did not notice the switch that the train was approaching. Suddenly the victim's foot was caught in the frog. He made a violent effort to extricate himself but could do nothing. Almost instantly he fell across the track in front of the wheels. The train was stopped as soon as possible, but not until his body was severed nearly in two. Death was instantaneous. Beside the first shock Gardner suffered no pain.

The remains were taken to the morgue. An inquest will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.

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THE MILK RAIDS.

Inspectors Pierce and Ott Have Another Turn at the Dairymen.

Milk Inspector Pierce and Sanitary Inspector Ott were out after the festive milkmen again this morning. They left the health office at 2 o'clock, and long before the first wagon arrived they had taken their stand in the northern end of the city. Most of the milk stood the test, and consequently little was emptied into the gutter.

Those tested and the results were as follows:

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Margaret McKeown's Hallucination Is Inquired Into.

The examination of Margaret McKeown before the lunacy commissioners in Judge Fricks court today, was not completed. She seemed to be a friendless, homeless woman who is possessed of the hallucination that she is afflicted with an incurable disease. The testimony showed she had been a frequent inmate of the San Francisco and the Alameda county almshouse, but had refused to be treated at the latter place. She had given the physicians considerable trouble. Further testimony will be taken tomorrow.

SENT TO IONE.

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Samuel McCrea, a 14-year-old boy, who has given his mother much cause for complaint, was committed to the Preston School of Industry at Ione by Judge Frick today. The boy had been in the habit of remaining away from home for weeks and his mother testified he was entirely beyond parental control.

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Steward Victory passed a sleepless night. Lamb's outcries could be heard for blocks, and the large quantity of the drug that was administered seemed to have little or no effect.

A careful examination of the wound made last night and the general condition of the patient led the surgeons to decide an operation would be necessary to locate the bullet, which had gone beyond the reach of the surgeon's probe. The belief was expressed that it had struck the pelvic bone on the right side and had lodged somewhere in the abdominal region.

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A COUNTY COMMITTEE CALL

The Republicans Are Ordered to Assemble Next Saturday.

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A WARLIKE TONE.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The Globe this evening prints sensational news under the following scare headlines:

"Activity in War Office."

"Anticipated Military Measures."

The Globe then states the war office sent a special military messenger this afternoon to the colonial office, stating it is rumored important orders are pending.

A dispatch from the military camp at Aldershot says the general belief, almost backed by proof, prevails that the authorities are considering the mobilizing of the army reserves and a part of the militia.

The men employed in the ordnance stores are very busy.

IMPRISONED AS A SPY.

JOHANNESBURG, Jan. 7.—Mr. Jelly, correspondent of the Reuters Telegram Company here, has been imprisoned upon suspicion of being a spy in the interests of the British Chartered South Africa Company.

PREPARING TO ADVANCE.

The Insurgents Are Waiting At the Gates of Havana.

Trains Burned and All Movements of the Spaniards Badly Hampered.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, Jan. 7.—The insurgents are still in the vicinity of Havana, but the movements are not of sufficient importance to chronicle in detail.

The number of insurgents at Managua and Calabazar, fourteen miles from this city, has been increased, but it is now believed that Havana itself will not be attacked for some time.

The insurgents have burned a mixed train from Cardenas, near Banaguises, and the Spaniards claim they violated all the women and young girls among the passengers.

Railroad communication in the province of Matanzas is being resumed.

RAILROADS PLYING AGAIN.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The Central cable office of the Western Union Telegraph Company has sent out the following: "Railway communication between Havana and the Cuba Submarine Company's station at Batabano has been re-established. Trains leave twice a day, at 6 A. M. and 2 P. M., returning about the same hours. Telegrams for West Indian points south of Havana can go forward via Key West, subject to some delay."

MAJOR POST IS DEAD.

A Prominent Engineer and Well Known Clubman Is Gone.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Major James Clarence Post, U. S. A., died last evening at the home of his father-in-law, John T. Pultz.

He was born in this city, and was appointed a cadet at West Point on July 1, 1861.

He graduated in 1865, and was appointed a second lieutenant. He served in the garrison at Little Rock, Ark., until 1866, when he was appointed ordnance officer of the department of Arkansas and promoted to first lieutenant.

He afterward served in the engineer corps at Jefferson Barracks, and in 1867 was assistant engineer in charge of the improvement of Boston harbor. He also assisted in the construction of the defenses of Portsmouth harbor, N. H.

He was appointed to the rank of major, since which time he served at the American Legation of London.

Of late years, Major Post was detailed to the engineering corps in the Department of the East. He was a member of the University club.

The Wheat Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Wheat, firm; May, $1.07¾. Barley, quiet; May, 70.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Wheat, January, 57⅝; May, 60⅝. Corn, January, 26½; May, 28¾.

HE SHAMMED LUNACY

Such Is the Remarkable Story Now Told About De Costa.

SCHEMERS ADVISED HIM.

It Looks as if the Old Man Was Railroaded to the Asylum.

CRUELTY IS ALSO ALLEGED.

Judge Frick Intends to Have the Case Thoroughly Investigated.

Jose Ignacio De Costa, whose troubles with Martin Wenceslow over the alleged fraudulent practice of the latter by which he secured $2500 of Costa's money, has developed a rather remarkable story which will be fully investigated tomorrow by Judge Frick.

The proceedings taken in the Superior Court this morning looking toward the restoration of De Costa to capacity were terminated rather suddenly by Judge Frick because of the stories told by Gregory Zellich and J. Silva, friends of the old man. They intimated that the court had been imposed upon by J. Martin in the proceedings that were taken to have De Costa declared incompetent some months ago.

It was stated that Martin had gone to De Costa after he lost his money and told him he would have to show lunacy in order to secure its return. Martin, it was stated, represented to De Costa that he (Martin) would be appointed his guardian in the event he was declared unfit to handle his own business affairs and would be enabled to arrange for the return of the $2500 which De Costa claims Wenceslow secured.

In accordance with that plan De Costa began to exhibit evidences of a failing mind at once. Then followed his examination before Judge Frick and a subsequent order appointing Martin as guardian of the old man.

Attorneys Garrity and McElroy, who have had charge of De Costa's affairs since the action was brought against Wenceslow for the recovery of the money, only learned today the strange story. They have had a petition for the restoration of their client on hand and they were ready to proceed against Wenceslow in a civil action when he was declared incompetent.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The hearing of the petition was on the calendar this morning in Judge Fricks' department. De Costa was a witness and then his friend Silva related how Martin had gone to the old man's family and had told them if De Costa were declared incompetent and he were appointed his guardian the money could be recovered.

Gregory Zellick corroborated the story and told the court that Martin had been to him and requested him to go to court as a witness to De Costa's inability to care for himself.

Rose Andre, a tall and picturesque brunette, who is a niece of De Costa's, said her uncle lived with the family at 620 Fifth street. She had never noticed anything in his actions that would lead to believe that he was unable to take care of his affairs.

Judge Frick ordered the sheriff to subpoena Martin to be in attendance on the court at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning to give some explanation of his queer conduct in the matter.

De Costa's story of the loss of his money was to the effect that he had accumulated about $2500 and intended to return to his native land. He met Wenceslow, he claimed, who learned of the old man's plans and induced him to remain here. An agreement was made whereby Wenceslow was to take the old man's money in return for care during the remainder of De Costa's life. The old man said he went to live with Wenceslow as by agreement, but had remained there only a few days when he was kicked out into the street.

THE FIRE CHIEF.

Commissioners Deny They Have Been Talking About Campbell.

The Police and Fire Commissioners will meet this afternoon but nothing will be done regarding a change in the head of the fire department. Mayor Davie says that he never talked of voting for Fred A. Campbell as a successor to Lewton, and Persse says he has never talked with the Mayor or anyone else about such a change.

TOWN TOPICS.

There will be installations of officers in the hall of Lyon Post, No. 8, G. A. R., tonight.

Burglars entered the residence of Councilman Manuel at 1423 Chestnut street, Saturday night, and secured about $140 in money and a gold watch and chain.

Miss Portia Knight and Lillian Lyster in "A Fair Encounter," Unitarian Church, Thursday evening.

The Goldberg Estate.

The final account of the executors of the Morris Goldberg estate has been allowed. The account shows that $153,822 was distributed and $38,450 remains in the executors' hands. The attorneys for the executors were allowed $4,000 additional; A. Ruef, $1,000; H. H. North, $1,000.

Dramatic and musical evening, Unitarian Church, Thursday evening. Admission 50c.

Bad Explosions.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Three distinct explosions in the works of the United States and Canada Decreasing Company took place this afternoon in Brooklyn. One man was killed and three injured.

Knight's Report.

The semi-annual report of Public Administrator Knight shows the appraised value of property that passed through his hands during the last half of 1895 to have been $56,838.88; of this $126.58 was coin.

The Garbage Bids.

The Board of Public Works meets tonight, at which time bids for the removal of garbage will be opened.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

KELLOGG IS ON TRIAL.

The Famous Bribery Charges Are Now to Be Well Investigated.

George Savage's Exploit at the Pier Was the Cause of All the Trouble.

The trial of George H. Kellogg, the former Southern Pacific detective indicted by the grand jury on a charge of attempting to secure a bribe, was commenced today in Judge Greene's department of the Superior Court.

The case is in the hands of Deputy District Attorney Melvin for the prosecution.

The morning session was exhausted in securing a jury.

Kellogg was indicted on evidence furnished by George Savage, alias "Kid Jones," a young man of unsavory reputation in police circles, whose uncle was a San Francisco bookmaker. The uncle told the grand jury that Kellogg had offered for $200 to "square" young Savage's case in the Superior Court, when he was charged with grand larceny. A number of incriminating letters signed "Boston" came into the possession of the District Attorney. These it was stated had been written by Kellogg to Savage.

The young man was arrested with a companion by Kellogg at the broad gauge ferry depot on a charge of having picked the pocket of a woman of a purse containing $150. The companion, Phil Brown, secured a bond and disappeared. The case against Savage was never tried because the complaining witness went to Honolulu.

BOOMING CRIPPLE CREEK.

The Mining Exchanges Are Keeping the Place in the Front Rank

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The formal opening of the Chicago Mineral and Mining Board, announced for yesterday, has been put off until January 21st, as the quarters to be occupied are not yet in order.

Three applications for membership were received yesterday by telegraph, making 218 members of the 250 to which the board is limited.

J. Rush Field, Benjamin Zeltz and M. J. Sherman of the listing committee left last night for the West. They will look over the different districts and make arrangements for listing the better grade of stocks.

They will not confine themselves to Cripple Creek, but will include Butte, Helena, Salt Lake and others.

It is not the intention of the Chicago Mining Board to confine its operations to gold and silver.

Iron, coal, zinc—in fact, the stock of reputable mines of whatever product will be listed.

Ask a Guardian.

Application was made this afternoon by Kirkham Wright to have Kate K. Wheeler appointed guardian of Mrs. General Kirkham, on the ground of old age and physical infirmity. The matter will be heard January 14th.

Found Dead in Bed.

J. W. Brown, formerly a Fresno capitalist, was found dead in his bed this afternoon at the Girard House.

The wedding of A. J. Edwards of Dunsmuir and Mrs. Nellie Brideus of this city was celebrated on New Year's eve at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs. Frank Bray, 1358 Eleventh street. Rev. H. H. Rice was the officiating clergyman. Mr. Edwards is a conductor on the Dunsmuir division, and at that city the happy couple will make their home.

Too Late for Classification

SITUATION WANTED—MALE.

FIRST CLASS German, French and American cook; is able to take full charge of kitchen; wishes situation in private family in Oakland; wages not under $40; references given. Address Cook, 1105 Sacramento st., San Fran.

SITUATION WANTED—FEMALE.

SITUATION wanted by a German young lady as cook; is a first class cook in every respect; country preferred. Address G. R., box 2, Tribune.

WANTED—A situation by a colored woman to do general house work in a small family. Apply 936 6th st.

AN EASTERN lady wishes a position as bookkeeper. Enquire at 775 22d st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED immediately, a young girl to do light housework at 93 E. 14th st., East Oakland.

WANTED—A young girl to do housework and help with children in a small family. Call after noon at 1233 9th ave., East Oakland.

MEDIUMS.

MRS. JEPSON tells past, present and the future; ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c; 775 22d st., bet. West and Brush sts., Oakland.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

MR. AND MRS. J. D. GUTHAM having purchased the Hammond House, No. 407 San Pablo av., and having renovated the same throughout, are prepared to rent suites of rooms suitable for housekeeping at reasonable rates, according to location and furniture, also single rooms. The Hammond House is strictly a first class family apartment house.

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UP-TOWN OFFICE.
A branch office of The Tribune has been opened in the stationery and embroidery store of Mrs. M. A. Cahill, 1315 New Broadway, near Fourteenth street. There small advertisements and subscriptions may be left. Advertisements will be received and published the same day up to 1:30 o'clock.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

ATTENTION dog owners! Dogs wearing their tags of 1895 will be unmolested Until January 31, 1896. H. L. Wolfzel, Poundmaster.

C. C. STAROM carpenter and builder, purchaser of building wreckage lobbing promptly attended to. Address 913 3d st.

RALSTON-KAFFEE is and is not coffee; Ralston-Kaffee has the aroma of coffee, Ralston-Kaffee is a nerve builder; Ralston-Kaffee is a breakfast delight. For information about Ralston-Kaffee address or call, Ralston-Kaffee Health Food Co., room 522, Central Bank bldg.

MARKET Station Ice Cream Parlors. Home made candies; ice cream made and delivered, bouillon 10c; chocolate and cakes 10c; 906 Seventh st.; Market street station.

FRESH FISH every day; oysters, clams, shrimps, crabs, live and dressed poultry; delivery free. J. L. Thorp, 1205 7th st., opposite Adeline station.

DO YOU want a bicycle? Do you want to sell one? Have you a fire-proof safe you wish to dispose of? Advertise your wants in the Tribune Classified.

MRS. M. A. CAHILL—Stamping and embroidery, accordion knife pleating and pinking. Lessons given in fancy work. Stationery, calling cards. Employment office. Agency United States Laundry, 1215 Broadway.

NOTICE—To buyers of household goods. Patronize the old reliable firm of H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st. You will find goods just as represented. Our motto: "Do as you would be done by."

LADIES' HAIR DRESSING—Have your hair dressed at your home; prompt attention to orders and best of service rendered; newest and latest styles. Mrs. H. A. Azmon, 926 B. Seventh street.

HAIR DRESSING PARLORS—New process facial steaming, shampooing, Mme. Demorest's face powder. Special price Thursday, facial steaming, 50c. Mrs. Minnie Allen, rooms 411-412 Central Bank building. Elevator.

NOTICE the display of household goods at H. Schellhaas' store, 20 per cent cheaper than former prices. If you are in want of a holiday present see us at 408 11th st.

OAK BOOK CASES—From $7 up, see the display of household goods at remarkably low prices at H. Schellhaas'. We are bound to reduce our enormous stock within the next few weeks. Bed lounges, all new, from $6 up. Crockery glassware, stoves, from $6 up. 408 11th st.

MASQUERADE COSTUMES—All country orders filled. M. Peter, 729 Market st., San Francisco.

ATTORNEYS.

A. A. MOORE JR.—Attorney and counsellor, with dist. att'y, Court House.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices Court building, SE cor. Broadway and 8th sts.

CARLTON W. GREENE—Attorney-at-law, with dist att'y, Court House.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN. F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

DODGE & FRY—Attorneys-at-law, 506 Broadway, rooms 21 and 22, Blake & Moffitt building.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law; office of prosecuting att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. COLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FRANK W. SAWYER—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 72-3-4, Oakland.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTIE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 8th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 561 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 531½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, dist. atty's office, Court House.

SAMUEL HILL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

W. F. ARAM—Attorney-at-law, 536 Broadway.

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FOR SALE—Seven dozen fine laying hens, old and young. 711 17th st., Oakland.

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FOR SALE—Cheap, a Bowen upright piano, in use only a short time. Address 1537 Broadway, bet. 21st and 22d sts.

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A YOUNG girl wishes a situation to assist in house work. Apply 1040 Union st.

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SITUATION as fireman or engineer; can do some steam fitting. Address H. Brown, 528 8th st., Oakland

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LOST—$5 Reward—On last Saturday evening an oxidized silver open-faced watch with short gold chain and tassell. Reward will be paid on return of same to J. H. Walbridge with Phelan & Fish, 11th st., Oakland.

LOST—Saturday P. M. at Teachers' Association, brown leather purse containing about $3, several receipts, and a Mechanics' library ticket, No. 2128, bearing owner's name. Please return to 2265 Grove st.

LOST—On New Year's Day, locket with diamond set in gold suitable reward if returned to J. Cal Ewing, Co. Clerk's office, Oakland.

LOST—Sunday evening, a setter dog with brown spot covering one eye. Return to Mrs. Lukens, 1459 Madison st. and receive reward.

LOST—Dec 22 from buggy hot. Fashion stables and 3d and Telegraph av., black plush whip, trimmed with beads and objets. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Fashion stables, Broadway, near 8th st.

LOST—Dec 30th, a pair of gold framed eye-glasses bet. 1009 Washington and 908 Washington, or in latter building. Please return to Colusa House, room 1, and receive liberal reward.

LOST—Sat. Dec. 21st, on 4:30 boat or 5 o'clock train black leather purse with name, Mrs. J. E. Gerichtens containing money and tag from Davis Bros. S. F. Return to 1262 5th st. and receive reward.

LOST—Either at Becker's market or bet. Dana and 11th st., a red leather purse. Apply No. 32 Telegraph av. and receive reward.

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The Insurance Spectator of this city alludes to the fact that The Mutual Life has passed the two hundred million dollar mark in its payments for death claims and endowments, the payments being on November 9th, $163,675,711 for death claims and $36,250,840, for endowments, a total of $200,057,951. The Spectator says:

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HOUSES TO RENT.

TO LET—House of 9 rooms including bath, 515 8th st., near Washington. Apply at office of Oakland Journal, cor 7th and Webster sts.

TO LET—The house of 12 rooms, all modern conveniences, 973 5th av. key next door, cor. house. Rent reasonable

$12 A MONTH for furnished cottage, near two lines of cars; stable, chicken yard, flowers, everything complete, or will sell on easy terms. Inquire F. Springsteen, 1055 Broadway, room 1.

LOVE in a cottage. You can take your pick of a hundred cottages by reading Tribune Classified.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

LA CLEDE HOTEL—Sunny offices and furnished rooms with or without board, to let; single or en suite, at reasonable rates, centrally located to both trains and street railways. Apply 11-6 Broadway st., Oakland

ROOM and board can be had in private boarding house, pleasant sunny rooms, heated by furnace. References, 1406 Alice st.

PLEASANT home, near business center; sunny rooms, pleasant grounds and excellent table, 356 E. 12th st., cor. 3d av.

HALLS TO LET.

GRAND Army Hall to let, one night a week. Apply Chas. Jurgens, 1116 Bdwy.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MADAME NELSON reads head and palm, also cards, tells past, present, future; consultation on all affairs; price 50 cents; several hundred recommendations, 906 Washington, cor. 8th st.

MRS. LINDEE ROGERS—Psychometrist. Test and healing medium. Sittings daily. Cir. Mon., Fr eve's. 462 9th st., Henry House.

MRS. MAY—Genuine clairvoyant; born with a veil; a trustworthy friend to persons in danger or misfortune anxious to see their way out of trouble not to be classed with untruthful pretenders and charlatans; fees reasonable; advice on business matters a specialty; letters answered $13 Franklin.

DENTISTS.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

FANCY ROCKERS—All prices and grades, tables, chairs and fancy goods for presents; come and see us. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

CITY REAL ESTATE IMPROVED.

IN SAN FRANCISCO—3 fine lots and house, rents $5 price $650, first applicant has the preference. Address box 2242, San Francisco.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, a 6 room modern cottage with 2 attic rooms, lot 37½x100 on east side of Harrison near the corner of 5th st., Oakland. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 E. 12th st., E. O.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

GEO. H. M. GRAY—Real estate broker; houses rented and built. 467 9th st.; telephone No. 224

F. C. WATSON—Real estate broker, 463 8th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.—Real estate, houses built for sale on installment plan and to rent. 467 9th st.

ALDEN & GARFIELD—Money brokers; houses built on the installment plan; tel. 319. 902 Broadway.

CHEAP land; illustrated book for 2c.; M. I. Griffin, Cottonwood, Shasta Co., Cal.

H. B. PINNEY—Lots $150, $1 a week. 902 Broadway.

W. L. PRATHER—Real estate, notary public, insurance broker. 478 10th st.

JAMES S. NAISMITH—Real estate broker and notary public. Tel. 475. 463 9th st.

J. W. MOSS—Real estate, notary public; money to loan. 968 Broadway bet. 9th and 10th sts.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A large male dog cheap for cash. J. P. B., box 4, Tribune.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

O. I. DENISON—Notary public, real estate; houses rented. 472 10th st.

REMOVED—N. W. Winton, notary public and dealer in real estate, has removed to 968 Broadway between 9th and 10th. Call and see his list of properties.

REAL ESTATE.

LAYMANCE

REAL ESTATE & INVESTMENT CO.,

NO. 466 8TH ST., OAKLAND, CAL.

$600—Completely furnished, price reduced from $870; 2 story, 9 rooms and bath, lot 50x125; Myrtle st., near 10th, special bargain. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3100—2 story, 8 room house, just completed, lot 37x122, very cheap place and extraordinary easy terms. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$500 CASH, $1250—Balance monthly; just completed 8 room residence; lot 34x117; 12th st., local cars, 5 blocks of local. A complete home. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st. 109A

$4500—Lovely new 10 room colonial residence just completed, replete with every modern convenience, within 7 blocks of 14th and Broadway; exceptional location terms to good parties $500 cash. See at once. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$4000—New modern residence 8 rooms and bath, 5 minutes walk of 14th and Broadway, cheerily located; terms only $700 cash. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$750—A bargain cottage of 4 rooms, high basement and stable, lot 50x122; 2 blocks of Fruitvale av. cars, price reduced from $1250; terms to good party. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$2000—Make offer; estate must be closed; 8 room cottage with lot 81x122 choicely located at Center st station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Company, 466 8th st. 109A

$20 CASH—$7 50 per month, buys a choice lot 25x135; price $570 street sewered and within 3 blocks of Fruitvale station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

Properties shown and information cheerfully given
Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co.,
466 8th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.

REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
467 NINTH STREET.

FOR RENT, $20—House of 6 rooms and bath on corner of 21st and West sts.

FOR RENT, $18—On north side of 24th st. east of San Pablo av.; owner will repair and put same in good condition.

$5000 TO LOAN.—In terms of $500 to $1000 on improved suburban real estate or city property.

MINING AND REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

ROOM 15, 855 BROADWAY.

EXCHANGES made for any kind of property.
GOLD GRAVEL MINE wanted in exchange for clear land, house or lots.
LOAN WANTED on clear land or lots.
EXCHANGE 80 a res of rich valley land for house, lots of gold gravel claim; will assume mortgage.
PIANO wanted in exchange for land or lots.

RICHARD J. MONTGOMERY,

Notary Public, Real Estate Loans and Insurance,
966 Wash. st. Tel. 255. P. O. box 224.

A CHEAP investment; $1000 for 2 cottages and large lot. 10 minutes' ride with choice of two electric car lines to local trains; annual rental income, $120.

A CHANCE for speculators and builders; 4 acres of choice suburban property facing on electric car lines, only 10 minutes ride to local trains or Oakland business, and well adapted for subdivision into lots, sold at bed rock for cash or exchanged for clear improved business or residence property.

CHOICE lots for sale on installments; remember the name and address.

MUSICAL.

WANTED—Boys and men with musical taste to fill vacancies in St. John's boy choir. Each boy receives a monthly remunerator. Apply any evening except Wednesday and Saturday at 620 11th st.

PROFESSIONAL teacher of piano, organ and singing; two lessons a week at $3 per month; either one; scholar of Prof. Mueller. Inquire at 271 9th st.

PROF. LOUIS EISENBACH—Graduate of Vienna Conservatory, Piano-forte, voice culture and opera. Brunswick Hotel, 9th and Washington.

MARION CLARK—Banjo, violin and mandolin teacher, banjo taught by Clark's simplified method; banjos refreated and violin bows rehaired; all kinds of musical instruments repaired. music furnished for dancing. 1055 Broadway.

CITY REAL ESTATE UNIMPROVED.

"WHERE ARE YOU GOING
my pretty maid?"
"I'm going to the Fruitvale
Terminal Tract, sir,"
she said, (to buy a lot).

Lots $100 up; very easy terms. D. Pratt, Fruitvale station. The McCarthy Co., San Francisco.

SEARCHERS OF RECORDS

DURAY SMITH—Searcher of records and conveyancer, Alameda county. Office 405 8th st., bet. Broadway and Washington sts., Oakland.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in sums to suit on property; 8 per cent. C. G. Baker, 962 Bdy.

OAKLAND COLLATERAL Loan Co., 925 Broadway, near 9th st.; liberal advances on diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, pianos, guns.

MONEY TO LOAN in sums to suit at reasonable rates. Prime bargains in real estate; houses to rent. D. P. McDonald & Co., No. 463 9th st.

CIVIL ENGINEERS.

T. W. MORGAN and Rees Morgan, civil engineers, room 57, Macdonough block, Oakland; room 150, Crocker building, San Francisco.

PIANO TUNERS.

R. F. HORNING for fourteen years with A. Bruenn, the only piano maker in Oakland; repairing a specialty. 1059 Franklin bet. 11th and 12th sts.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

A DRY TRIP across the bay; best wines, liquors, mineral waters and fresh beer on tap, together with best cigars and bounteous lunch at the Alameda Exchange. No. 7 Market st., San Francisco. Peter Harder, proprietor.

SCHLITZ MILWAUKEE BEER depot; C. H. Kuchs, proprietor, 468 12th st. Oakland; private entrance for ladies.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the seventh annual meeting of the stockholders of the San Francisco and Oakland Mutual Loan Association will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 624 Montgomery street, San Francisco, on Wednesday, January 8, 1896, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, presentation of the seventh annual report, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. All stockholders are earnestly requested to attend, as matters of importance will come before the meeting.

Books are now open for subscription to 1000 shares of stock of the eighth series. Loans made in San Francisco and Alameda counties only. Interest 6 per cent per annum, free of mortgage taxes; premium 20 per cent gross or 50 cents per share installments, at pleasure of borrower, which amounts to $12.50 per month for each $1000, net cash received by the borrower, this sum paying both principal and interest. Loans may be paid at any time desired.

By order of the Board of Directors.
THOMAS J. WELSH, President.
A. SBARBORO, Secretary.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all tax payers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895.

At 8 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 8 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896 for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County; at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1888, both inclusive of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 28, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:

Bond numbered One, one year from date.

Bond numbered Two, two years from date.

Bond numbered Three, three years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent of the amount of the bid payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees of the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.

Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.

All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

F. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk,
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Green, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John Green deceased, and for the issuance to Anna Green of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 1, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, December 26, 1895.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Mullany, Grant & Cushing, attorneys for petitioners, 104 Sutter street, San Francisco, California.

PROBATE NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Harriet A. Sears, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Harriet A. Sears, deceased, and for the issuance to Lizzie Sears Gerberding and Egbert H. Stone of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, Oakland, January 3, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Reed & Nusbaumer, attorneys for petitioners.

NOTICE OF SALE!

One heifer, the property of James H. Swift, pastured on the Hewston ranch, Alameda County, California, will be sold at the Hewston ranch ten days after date to pay pasturage and advertising charges on same.

S. E. HEWSTON.
Oakland, January 2, 1896.

LEGAL.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

Advertisement for Plans and Specifications.

Notice is hereby given that the regents of the University of California will receive at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Regents in South Hall, in Berkeley, Alameda County, on or before 12 o'clock M. of January 27th, 1896, plans and specifications in detail for three buildings to be erected in San Francisco, grouped together in one harmonious design on the site selected by said Regents for the use of the Affiliated Colleges and Departments conducted in San Francisco.

The amount appropriated to be expended for the erection of said buildings is $350,000, and $125,000 thereof is available for the 47th fiscal year and $225,000 thereof is available for the 48th fiscal year.

The sum of $500 will be awarded to the architect whose plans and specification may be adopted as a premium and full compensation therefor, provided that upon the adoption of such plans and specifications said architect executes and files with the Board of Regents of the University of California a good and sufficient bond with two sureties thereto in the penal sum of $5000 to be approved by the said Board, or its duly authorized agent therefor, conditioned that within 60 days from the date of said bond said architect will on presentment to him enter into a contract containing such provisions and conditions as said Board of Regents may require, and also conditioned that he will give such further bond to secure the faithful performance of said contract, with such sureties as may be required of him in the event that said Board of Regents should within 60 days from said architect's first presentment to him enter into said contract, or the price named therein be expended for the erection of said buildings.

This advertisement is made under and pursuant to an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to regulate the erection of Public Buildings and Structures" approved April 1st, 1872, (Stat. of 1871-2, p. 957) which Act is hereby referred to and made a part of this advertisement.

By authority of the Board of Regents.
Dated December 18, 1895.
J. H. C. PONTE,
Secretary of the Board of Regents.
Berkeley, December 18, 1895.

POSTPONEMENT.

All persons interested are hereby notified that the time for receiving said plans and specifications mentioned in the above advertisement is hereby postponed and extended until 12 o'clock M. of January 31, 1896.

And further, that all the information possessed by the committee as to the site of said buildings and the requirements of said affiliated colleges and other departments of the University, can be had by printed circular at the office of Regent Reinstein, No. 227 Sansome street, San Francisco, and at the office of the Secretary at Berkeley, California.

By order of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings.
J. H. C. PONTE,
Secretary Board of Regents.
Date of Berkeley, December 28, 1895.

DIVIDEND NOTICES

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS' SAVINGS BANK,
of Oakland, California.

For the six months ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-fifth (4 1-10) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, payable on and after Thursday, the 2d day of January, 1896. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest.

JAMES C. MEEK, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal., December 24, 1895. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth streets, Oakland, on Monday, January 13, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, California.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner of Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 14, 1896, at 2 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.
Dated December 14, 1895.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, Jan. 2, 1896.

GEORGE A. STOLY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street. For the half year ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and twenty-six hundredths (4 26-100) per cent per annum on term deposits, and three and fifty-five hundredths (3 55-100) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, Jan. 2, 1896.

GEORGE TOURNEY, Secretary.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE UNION Savings Bank, Oakland, California. A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1895, at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1896.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

MEETING NOTICES.

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1202 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of
EDSON F. ADAMS,

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THE TRIBUNE CLASSIFIED—Is an index to the wants of the community; an epitome of professional and commercial enterprise; and a systematized reference for speculative readers.

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C. A. DOYLE,
Advertising Manager.
Tribune Publishing Company,
W. E. DARGIE,
President.

UP-TOWN OFFICE.
A branch office of The Tribune has been opened in the stationery and embroidery store of Mrs. M. A. Cahill, 1215 Now Broadway, near Fourteenth street. There small advertisements and subscriptions may be left. Advertisements will be received and published the same day up to 1:30 o'clock.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

ATTENTION dog owners! Dogs wearing their tags of 1895 will be unmolested until January 11, 1896. H. L. Wentzel, Poundmaster.

C. C. STAROM, carpenter and builder, purchaser of building wreckage; jobbing promptly attended to. Address 913 3d st.

RALSTON-KAFFEE is and is not coffee; Ralston-Kaffee has the aroma of coffee; Ralston-Kaffee is a nerve builder; Ralston-Kaffee is a breakfast delight. For information about Ralston-Kaffee address or call, Ralston-Kaffee Health Food Co., room 622, Central Bank bldg.

MARKET Station Ice Cream Parlors. Home made candies; ice cream made and delivered; bouillon 10c; chocolate and cakes 10c; 906 Seventh st.; Market street station.

FRESH FISH every day; oysters, clams, shrimps, crabs, live and dressed poultry; delivery free. J. L. Thorp, 1205 7th st., opposite Adeline station.

DO YOU want a bicycle? Do you want to sell one? Have you a fire-proof safe you wish to dispose of? Advertise your wants in the Tribune Classified.

MRS. M. A. CAHILL—Stamping and embroidery, accordion knife pleating and pinking. Lessons given in fancy work. Stationery, calling cards. Employment office. Agency United States Laundry, 1215 Broadway.

NOTICE—To buyers of household goods. Patronize the old reliable firm of H. Schellhaas, 468 11th st. You will find goods just as represented. Our motto: "Do as you would be done by."

LADIES HAIR DRESSING—Have your hair dressed at your home; prompt attention to orders and best of service rendered; newest and latest styles. Mrs. H. A. Azmon, 926 B. Seventh street.

HAIR DRESSING PARLORS—New process facial steaming, shampooing, Mme. Demorest's face powder. Special price Thursday, facial steaming, 50c. Mrs. Minnie Allen, rooms 411-412 Central Bank building. Elevator.

NOTICE the display of household goods at H. Schellhaas' store, 20 per cent cheaper than former prices. If you are in want of a holiday present see us at 408 11th st.

OAK BOOK CASES—From $7 up; see the display of household goods at remarkably low prices at H. Schellhaas'. We are bound to reduce our enormous stock within the next few weeks. Bed lounges, all new, from $5 up. Crockery, glassware, stoves, from $6 up. 408 11th st.

MASQUERADE COSTUMES—All country orders filled. M. Peter, 729 Market st., San Francisco.

ATTORNEYS.

A. A. MOORE JR.—Attorney and counsellor, with dist. att'y. Court House.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices Court building, SE cor. Broadway and 8th sts.

CARLTON W. GREENE—Attorney-at-law, with dist. att'y. Court House.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN. F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1093½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

DODGE & FRY—Attorneys-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 21 and 22, Blake & Moffitt building.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law; office of prosecuting att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FRANK W. SAWYER—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 72-3-4, Oakland.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 8th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 951 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 854½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, dist. atty's office, Court House.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

W. F. ARAM—Attorney-at-law, 856 Broadway.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Seven dozen fine laying hens, old and young. 511 17th st., Oakland.

FOR SALE—Handsome family carriage of modern style, in excellent condition; also fine large sized brown horse, steady, accustomed to town use and so gentle that a lady can drive it, with harness, together or separately. Apply at 822 Broadway, Oakland.

FOR SALE—Cheap: a Bowen upright piano, in use only a short time. Address 1557 Broadway, bet. 21st and 22d sts.

FOR SALE—Candy, notion, cigar and coffee parlor, good bargain. Apply at Smith's Employment office, 17th st. and Telegraph av.

STYLISH gentle horse for sale; reasonable, by party going East. Address J. P. box 1, Tribune.

FOR SALE—At reduced rates: lamps of all descriptions and styles; oil stoves, 75 cents up; have you seen our 50 cent lamp and heater combined? Just the thing for a sick room. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

SPANKING bay team, 4 years old, high bred, thoroughly broken, gentle, used to steam and electric cars; splendid carriage team. Apply Nevada stables, 502 8th st.

CARPETS CLEANED and laid by the Schreiber Furniture Co., 1157-9 Washington st.

ECLECTIC PHYSICIANS.

H. T. WEBSTER, M. D.—Office 1065 Washington st.; hours, 1 to 4 P. M.; home telephone 714-7.

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

COMPETENT woman wants employment at housework. Chamberwork or sewing by the day. A., 499 9th st. Oakland.

A RELIABLE woman wishes a place for general housework; good cook and laundress; a young girl to assist and go to school; both have first-class references. M. C., 843 Franklin s.

A YOUNG girl wishes a situation to assist in house work. Apply 1619 Union st.

GOOD COOK wants a position in private family; good references. Address 513 9th st., cor. Washington.

SITUATION wanted by a Swedish girl at cooking or general housework. Good cook. Address 513 12th st.

A COMPETENT woman wishes work of any kind by the day. Address 1132 24 st.

SMITH'S—Employment and house renting Agency, cor. 17th st. and Telegraph av.; help of all descriptions and nationalities, those having homes to let please call and give particulars.

A SWEDISH girl, good cook, would do general housework; also 2d girl, good seamstress, etc al; if you desire good, reliable servants go; work of any kind; male or female, any nationality, leave your orders at the Swedish and German Employment Bureau, 921 Broadway, room 17, cor. 9th st.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

GIRL of 17 to assist in housework. Call at 1915 5th st.

WANTED—Danish, German, Scotch and Scandinavian girls for cooks and general housework, good wages. Call at Hair Store, 1153 Washington st.

SITUATIONS WANTED MALE.

SITUATION as fireman or engineer; can do some steam fitting. Address R. Brown, 526 8th st., Oakland.

A YOUNG Japanese wants a situation of any kind of housework; no objection to light or hard. Address H. Takenaka, 753 Castro st.

BY A practical gardener, any wages; understands gardening and horses thoroughly. Address Albert Hoffman, this office.

AGENTS WANTED.

WANTED—Oakland agent with some capital for '96 line of cycles; direct from factory, ten models. Address Cycles, box 625, Station B, Oakland, Cal.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

MRS. CATTELL—525 8th st.; German, Scandinavian and all nations, male or female referenced cooks, second girls, nurses, waitresses, coachmen, gardeners, etc., awaiting work. Telephone 643.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—$5 Reward—On last Saturday evening an oxidized silver open-faced watch with short gold chain and tassell. Reward will be paid on return of same to J. H. Walbridge with Phelan & Fish, 11th st., Oakland.

LOST—Saturday P. M. at Teachers' Association, brown leather purse containing about $1, several receipts, and a Mechanics' Library ticket, No. 2128, bearing owner's name. Please return to 2205 Grove st.

LOST—On New Years' Day, locket with diamond set in gold; suitable reward if returned to J. Cal Ewing, Co. Clerk's office, Oakland.

LOST—Sunday evening, a setter dog with brown spot covering one eye. Return to Mrs. Lukens, 1559 Madison st. and receive reward.

LOST—Dec. 22, from buggy bet. Fashion stables and 21st and Telegraph av., black plush wrap, trimmed with beads and violets. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Fashion stables, Broadway, near 8th st.

LOST—Dec. 30th, a pair of gold framed eye-glasses, bet. 1059½ Washington and 915 Washington, or in latter building. Please return to Colusa House, room 1, and receive liberal reward.

LOST—Sat. Dec. 21st, on 4:30 boat or 5 o'clock train, black leather purse with name, Mrs. J. E. Gerichtens, containing money and tag from Davis Bros., S. F. Return to 1262 8th st. and receive reward.

LOST—Either at Becker's market or bet. there and 14th st., a red leather purse. Apply No. 32 Telegraph av. and receive reward.

HORN handled umbrella with silver band, left in large car (S. L. & H. line) at 5 P. M. Thursday, 7th and Washington sts. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Whitney Express office.

LOST—A pug dog, answers to name of Toots; under rewarded by returning to 527 Caledonia av.

DRESSMAKERS.

ATTENTION LADIES.

Mrs. M. J. Robinson has opened her dressmaking parlors. The most stylish cutting, designing and finishing are done. First class findings furnished, goods if required. Suits well made from $5 to $10. No. 617 San Pablo av., Oakland, Cal.

THE ORLEANS millinery and dressmaking parlors, 111 Telegraph av.; patterns cut to tailor measurement. Mme. Du Shane.

FANCY WAISTS and wrappers made and general family sewing done at very low prices or in families at $1 per day by Mrs. M. I. Shields, 919 Alice st., Oakland.

A DRESSMAKER desires a few engagements by the day; ladies', children. Stylish. Best references. $1.50 a day. 1465 12th av., East Oakland.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

EDWIN J. BOYES, M. D.—Office cor 13th and Clay sts.; telephone 813; residence telephone 267; hours 11 A. M. to 12 M.; 3 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

DR. MARTIN, 1156 Broadway; office practice; chronic diseases a specialty hours 10 to 12 and 1 to 4; free treatment to the sick who are unable to pay for medical treatment Tuesdays and Fridays, 11 to 12.

D. D. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon; office Central block, 1068 Broadway, Oakland.

J. MAHER, M. D.—Physician and surgeon 1068 Broadway; hours 2 to 3:30, 7 to 8.

WILLIAM B. CHURCH—Physician and surgeon; hours 10 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 and 6:30 to 7:30 P. M.; patients received and cared for by trained nurses at office and residence. 520 10th st.

PHYSICIANS and oculists of repute have their cards in Tribune Classified.

MEDICAL.

A BLESSING—To ladies: instant relief for monthly irregularities (from whatever cause); longest established and most experienced ladies' physicians in San Francisco, who restore all cases at once by an improved and painless method, superior to all others; ladies who are sick or in trouble will save time and money and be assured of honest treatment by consulting the doctors before calling elsewhere; patients who have been imposed upon or unsuccessfully treated by others especially invited board and skilful attention during confinement in private house where ladies will find all the comforts and privacy of a refined home, with the attendance of a regular physician, competent nurses and a mother's careful and kindly supervision; all treatment warranted; advice free and confidential. Dr. and Mrs. Davies, 14 McAllister st., San Francisco; hours 10 A. M. to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

DRS. GOODWIN makes a specialty of diseases of women and restores all cases of irregularity in one day, guaranteeing a cure or no charge; home for patients; best skill; medical attendance; low fees; regulator $2. 1370 Market st., S. F.

DRS. C. C. & G. W. O'DONNELL—Office and residence, 704 Washington st., near Kearney, and 765 Market st., San Francisco; office hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., and 7 to 8 P. M.; particular attention paid to diseases of women and children.

ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS

McMANUS & STANLEY—Architects and superintendents. Rooms 26 and 27, Canning block, 1115 Broadway.

OCULISTS AND AURISTS.

B. T. MOUSER, M. D.—Eye, ear, nose and throat, 1115 Broadway.

REAL ESTATE.

BARNARD'S CORNER.

PASSING THE TWO HUNDRED MILLION MARK.

The Insurance Spectator of this city alludes to the fact that The Mutual Life has passed the two hundred million dollar mark in its payments for death claims and endowments, the payments being on November 9th, $163,675,111 for death claims and $36,280,840, for endowments, a total of $200,055,951. The Spectator says:

It is a difficult matter to comprehend the immensity of this sum which has been distributed in but little over half a century by this one company, and when one considers the vast amount of good that this sum has accomplished, the many homes that have been brightened even in the darkest hours, the hundreds of people who have been provided with support in their declining years and the habits of thrift that has been inculcated by the necessity of saving to pay premiums, the only conclusion to arrive at is that life insurance is the greatest economic and beneficent factor of the age. Nor is this sum of $200,000,000, large though it be, all that The Mutual Life has paid out, for fully another $20,000,000 has been distributed to annuitants, to living policy holders as dividends and to withdrawing members as surrender values. And besides all these payments The Mutual Life still has on hand more than another $200,000,000 for the present and future protection of its policy holders, the total sum of $400,000,000 exceeding by about $75,000,000 the amount paid to the company by its members.

W. E. BARNARD, Agent.

NINE PER CENT INCOME IN A FIRST CLASS BUSINESS BLOCK.

The best paying business property in Oakland; in a splendid location for business; always occupied.

SIX STORES.
THREE FLATS.
LARGE HALL.

PRICE $25,000.
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If you want to place your money where it is absolutely safe, and where you may combine a large steady income with a constant increase in value, you will investigate this proposition.

W. E. BARNARD & SON,
458 Ninth Street.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

FOR RENT—A large furnished sunny front room. Apply 814 Alice st., S. E. corner 7th.

FOR RENT—Double parlors, nicely furnished, references exchanged. No. 961 15th st.

N. B.—A lady would like to give music lessons or do fine mending in exchange for a sunny room and board. Could pay some money also. Address D, box 217, Oakland Postoffice.

FURNISHED flats of 3 rooms, or will rent single; 556 20th st. Sunny side st.

SUNNY furnished or unfurnished rooms for housekeeping; very central location; rent reasonable. 411 9th st.

THREE or four furnished rooms to rent; located in central part of town near Narrow Gauge depot; 225 5th st. Hot and cold water. All conveniences.

A LADY owning her own house in a fine and convenient locality would rent a large, handsomely furnished, sunny front room, with or without board. All conveniences. Address X. Y. Z., box 2, Tribune.

THE best way to find something you have lost is to advertise in Tribune Classified.

ROOMS WANTED.

STORE—Three rooms connecting or store and small flat; must be centrally located and cheap. F. J. Arnold, 7 Flood building, S. F.

WANTED—Sunny quiet room for invalid gentleman. Address W. L. G., Tribune.

FLATS TO RENT.

SIX ROOM—House; hot and cold water; stationary tubs, bath; $15; will sell new California range set up and connected, cheap. 364 2d st.

HOUSES TO RENT.

TO LET—House of 9 rooms including bath, 515 8th st., near Washington. Apply at office of Oakland Journal, cor 7th and Webster sts.

TO LET—Fine house of 12 rooms, all modern conveniences, 973 5th av.; key next door, cor. house. Rent reasonable.

$12 A MONTH for furnished cottage, near two lines of cars; stable, chicken yard, flowers; everything complete, or will sell on easy terms. Inquire F. Springsteen, 1055 Broadway, room 1.

LOVE in a cottage. You can take your pick of a hundred cottages by reading Tribune Classified.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

LA CLEDE HOTEL—Sunny offices and furnished rooms with or without board, to let; single or en suite, at reasonable rates; centrally located to both trains and street railways. Apply 1116 Broadway st., Oakland.

ROOM and board can be had in private boarding house, pleasant sunny rooms, heated by furnace. References, 1406 Alice st.

PLEASANT home, near business center; sunny rooms, pleasant grounds and excellent table. 156 E. 12th st., cor. 3d av.

HALLS TO LET.

GRAND Army Hall to let one night a week. Apply Chas. Jurgens, 1116 Bdwy.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MADAME NELSON reads head and palm, also cards, tells past, present, future; consultation on all affairs; price 50 cents; several hundred recommendations; 906 Washington, cor. 8th st.

MRS. BENDEE ROGERS—Psychometrist. Test and healing medium. Sittings daily. Cir. Mon., Fr. eve's. 462 9th st., Henry House.

MRS. MAY—Genuine clairvoyant; born with a veil; a trustworthy friend to persons in danger or misfortune anxious to see their way out of trouble; not to be classed with untruthful pretenders and charlatans; fees reasonable; advice on business matters a specialty; letters answered. 843 Franklin.

DENTISTS.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

FANCY ROCKERS—All prices and grades, tables, chairs and fancy goods for presents; come and see us. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

CITY REAL ESTATE IMPROVED.

IN SAN FRANCISCO—3 fine lots and house, rents $5 price $650 first applicant has the preference. Address box 2242, San Francisco.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, a 6 room modern cottage with 2 attic rooms; lot 37½x100 on east side of Harrison near the corner of 5th st., Oakland. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 E. 12th st., E. O.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

GEO. B. M. GRAY—Real estate broker; houses rented and built. 465 9th st.; telephone No. 224.

F. C. WATSON—Real estate broker, 463 9th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.—Real estate, houses built for sale on installment plan and to rent. 467 9th st.

ALDEN & GARFIELD—Money brokers; houses built on the installment plan; tel. 319. 902 Broadway.

CHEAP land; illustrated book for 2c.; M. I. Griffin, Cottonwood, Shasta Co., Cal.

H. B. PINNEY—Lots $150, $1 a week. 903 Broadway.

W. L. PRATHER—Real estate, notary public, insurance broker. 478 10th st.

JAMES S. NAISMITH—Real estate broker and notary public. Tel. 478. 463 9th st.

J. W. MOSS—Real estate, notary public; money to loan. 558 Broadway bet. 9th and 10th sts.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

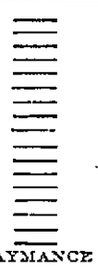
WANTED—A large male dog cheap for cash. J. P. B., box 4, Tribune.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

O. I. DENISON—Notary public, real estate; houses rented. 472 10th st.

REMOVED—N. W. Winton, notary public and dealer in real estate, has removed to 963 Broadway between 9th and 10th. Call and see his list of properties.

REAL ESTATE.



LAYMANCE
REAL ESTATE & INVESTMENT CO.
NO. 466 8TH ST., OAKLAND, CAL.

$6000—Completely furnished, price reduced from $8500; 2 story, 9 rooms and bath, lot 50x125; Myrtle st., near 19th; special bargain. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3100—2 story, 8 room house, just completed; lot 35x122; very cheap place and extraordinary easy terms. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$500 CASH, $1250—Balance monthly; just completed; 8 room residence; lot 34x115; 12th st., local cars, 5 blocks of local. A complete home. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st. 100A

$4500—Lovely new 10 room colonial residence just completed, replete with every modern convenience; within 7 blocks of 14th and Broadway; exceptional location terms to good parties $500 cash; see at once. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$4000—New modern residence 8 rooms and bath, 5 minutes walk of 14th and Broadway; choicely located; terms only $500 cash. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$750—A bargain, cottage of 4 rooms, high basement and stable, lot 50x122; 2 blocks of Fruitvale av. cars; price reduced from $1250; terms to good party. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3000—Make offer; estate must be closed; 6 room cottage with lot 81x122 choicely located at Center st. station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Company, 466 8th st. 100A

$20 CASH—$7.50 per month, buys a choice lot 25x125, price $200; street sewered and within 3 blocks of Fruitvale station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

Properties shown and information cheerfully given.
Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co.,
466 8th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.
REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
467 NINTH STREET.

FOR RENT, $20—House of 6 rooms and bath on corner of 21st and West sts.

FOR RENT, $18—On north side of 24th st. east of San Pablo av.; owner will repair and put same in good condition.

$5000 TO LOAN—In terms of $500 to $1000 on improved suburban real estate or city property.

MINING AND REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.
ROOM 15, 457 BROADWAY.

EXCHANGES made for any kind of property.
GOLD GRAVEL MINE wanted in exchange for clear land, house or lots.
LOAN WANTED on clear land or lots.
EXCHANGE 80 acres of Rich valley land for house, lots of gold gravel claim; will assume mortgage.
PIANO wanted in exchange for land or lots.

RICHARD J. MONTGOMERY,
Notary Public, Real Estate Loans and Insurance.
965 Wash. st. Tel. 255. P. O. box 224.

A CHEAP investment; $1600 for 2 cottages and large lot; 10 minutes' ride with choice of two electric car lines to local trains; annual rental income, $240.

A CHANCE for speculators and builders; 4 acres of choice suburban property facing on electric car lines; only 10 minutes ride to local trains or Oakland business, and well adapted for subdivision into lots; sold at bed rock for cash or exchanged for clear improved business or residence property.

CHOICE lots for sale on installments; remember the name and address.

MUSICAL.

WANTED—Boys and men with musical taste to fill vacancies in St. John's boy choir. Each boy receives a monthly remuneration. Apply any evening except Wednesday and Saturday at 620 11th st.

PROFESSIONAL teacher of piano; organ and singing; two lessons a week at $5 per month; either one; scholar of Prof. Mueller. Inquire at 271 9th st.

PROF. LOUIS EISENBACH—Graduate of Vienna Conservatory. Piano-forte, voice culture and opera. Brunswick Hotel, 9th and Washington.

MARION CLARK—Banjo, violin and mandolin teacher; banjo taught by Clark's simplified method; banjos reheaded and violin bows rehaired; all kinds of musical instruments repaired; music furnished for dancing. 1055 Broadway.

CITY REAL ESTATE UNIMPROVED.

"WHERE ARE YOU GOING
my pretty maid?"
"I'm going to the Fruitvale
Terminal Tract, sir,"
she said, (to buy a lot).

Lots $100 up; very easy terms. D. Pratt, Fruitvale station. The McCarthy Co., San Francisco.

SEARCHERS OF RECORDS

DURAY SMITH—Searcher of records and conveyancer, Alameda county. Office 495 8th st., bet. Broadway and Washington sts., Oakland.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in sums to suit on property; 8 per cent. G. G. Baker, 962 Bdy.

OAKLAND COLLATERAL Loan Co., 925 Broadway, near 9th st.; liberal advances on diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, pianos guns.

MONEY TO LOAN in sums to suit at reasonable rates. Prime bargains in real estate; houses to rent. D. F. McDonald & Co., No. 463 9th st.

CIVIL ENGINEERS.

T. W. MORGAN and Ross Morgan, civil engineers, room 57, Macdonough block, Oakland; room 169, Crocker building, San Francisco.

PIANO TUNERS.

R. F. HORNING for fourteen years with A. Bruenn, the only piano maker in Oakland; repairing a specialty. 1039 Franklin bet. 11th and 12th sts.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

A DRY TRIP across the bay; best wines, liquors, mineral waters and fresh beer on tap, together with best cigars and bounteous lunch at the Alameda Exchange, No. 7 Market st., San Francisco. Peter Harder, proprietor.

SCHLITZ MILWAUKEE BEER depot; C. H. Kuchs, proprietor, 468 12th st. Oakland; private entrance for ladies.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the seventh annual meeting of the stockholders of the San Francisco and Oakland Mutual Loan Association will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 524 Montgomery street, San Francisco, on Wednesday, January 8, 1896, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, presentation of the seventh annual report, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. All stockholders are earnestly requested to attend, as matters of importance will come before the meeting.

Books are now open for subscription to 1000 shares of stock of the eighth series. Loans made in San Francisco and Alameda counties only. Interest 6 per cent per annum, free of mortgage taxes; premium 20 per cent gross or 50 cents per share installments, at pleasure of borrower, which amounts to $12.50 per month for each $1000, net cash received by the borrower, this sum paying both principal and interest. Loans may be paid at any time desired.

By order of the Board of Directors.
THOMAS J. WELSH, President.
A. SEARBORO, Secretary.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all tax payers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is herby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October,
in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895.

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October,
1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896, for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County; at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1888, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 28, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:

Bond numbered One, one year from date.

Bond numbered Two, two years from date.

Bond numbered Three, three years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.

Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.

All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

F. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk,
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Green, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John Green deceased, and for the issuance to Anna Green of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, December 26, 1895.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Mullany, Grant & Cushing, attorneys for petitioners, 104 Sutter street, San Francisco, California.

PROBATE NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Harriet A. Sears, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Harriet A. Sears, deceased, and for the issuance to Lizzie Sears Gerberding and Egbert B. Stone of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, Oakland, January 3, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Reed & Nusbaumer, attorneys for petitioners.

NOTICE OF SALE!

One heifer, the property of James H. Swift, pastured on the Hewston ranch, Alameda County, California, will be sold at the Hewston ranch ten days after date to pay pasturage and advertising charges on same.

S. E. HEWSTON.
Oakland, January 2, 1896.

LEGAL.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

Advertisement for Plans and Specifications.

Notice is hereby given that the regents of the University of California will receive at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Regents in South Hall, in Berkeley, Alameda County, on or before 12 o'clock M. of January 17th, 1896, plans and specifications in detail for three buildings to be erected in San Francisco, grouped together in one harmonious design on the site selected by said Regents for the use of the Affiliated Colleges and Departments conducted in San Francisco.

The amount appropriated to be expended for the erection of said buildings is $250,000; and $125,000 thereof is available for the 47th fiscal year and $125,000 thereof is available for the 48th fiscal year.

The sum of $500 will be awarded to the architect whose plans and specification may be adopted as a premium and full compensation therefor, provided that upon the adoption of such plans and specifications said architect execute and file with the Board of Regents of the University of California a good and sufficient bond with two sureties thereto in the penal sum of $5000 to be approved by the said Board, or its duly authorized agent therefor, conditioned that within 60 days from the date of said bond said architect will on presentment to him enter into a contract containing such provisions and conditions as said Board of Regents may require, and also conditioned that he will give such further bond to secure the faithful performance of said contract, with such securities as may be required of him in the event that said Board of Regents should within 60 days require said architect to enter into such contract to erect said buildings at the price named herein to be expended for the erection of said buildings.

This advertisement is made under and pursuant to an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to regulate the erection of Public Buildings and Structures" approved April 1st, 1872, (Stat. of 1871-2, p. 825) which Act is hereby referred to and made a part of this advertisement.

By authority of the Board of Regents.
Dated December 18, 1895.
J. H. C. BONTE,
Secretary of the Board of Regents.
Berkeley, December 18, 1895.

POSTPONEMENT.

All persons interested are hereby notified that the time for receiving said plans and specifications mentioned in the above advertisement is hereby postponed and extended until 12 o'clock M. of January 31, 1896.

And further, that all the information possessed by the committee as to the site of said buildings and the requirements of said affiliated colleges and other departments of the University, can be had by printed circular at the office of Regent Reinstein, No. 217 Sansome street, San Francisco, and at the office of the Secretary at Berkeley, California.

By direction of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings.
J. H. C. BONTE,
Secretary Board of Regents
Dated Berkeley, December 28, 1895.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

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FARMERS & MERCHANTS' SAVINGS BANK,
of Oakland, California.

For the six months ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, payable on and after Thursday, the 2d day of January, 1896. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest.

JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, January 2, 1896. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of dividend as the principal, from January 1, 1896.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

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GEORGE A. STORY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street. For the half year ending December 31, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and twenty-six hundredths (4 26-100) per cent per annum on term deposits, and three and fifty-five hundredths (3 55-100) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, Jan. 2, 1896.

GEORGE TOURNEY, Secretary.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE UNION Savings Bank, Oakland, California. A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1895, at the rate of four and one-tenth (4 1-10) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1896.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

MEETING NOTICES.

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1104 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January,

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AMUSEMENTS.

Macdonough—"1492."
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Baldwin—"Daughters of Eve."
Columbia—"The Lost Paradise."
Tivoli—"Ixion."
Morosco's—"The Fugitive."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville
Alcazar—"My Precious Baby."

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. JANUARY 8, 1896.

Northern California — Unsettled weather and probably showers tonight and Wednesday in the northern portion; warmer in the extreme eastern portion tonight; southeasterly winds.

Southern California—Fair; stationary temperature; light easterly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Increasing cloudiness; conditions uncertain for Wednesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds.

A. M'ADIE, Local Forecast Official.

TUESDAY.....JANUARY 7, 1896.

The citrus growers of Southern California have poked a great deal of fun at the citrus growers of Northern California. Now the joke is on the other side. A Chico paper extends a cordial invitation to the orange growers of Riverside to move up into Butte county, where the thermometer never falls below 30 degrees. They can save about 10 degrees of cold by such a movement.

The New York World has a way of putting important facts into the space of a nut shell. Here is a good illustration: "In February last some sixty-odd millions of thirty-year 4 per cent bonds of the United States were privately sold to a syndicate of bankers at 104½. They were worth in the open market about 120. Shortly afterwards the syndicate bankers divided these bonds among themselves at the nominal price of 112½. The moment the securities were placed upon the market the price rose to 116½@118. A little later it was 120. On December 21 they were worth 119. After the jingo message was sent to Congress they declined to 116 and 116½. Now that the war craze is over they have recovered to 118."

The San Diego Union in its New Year's edition, besides writing up that city as it deserves, dwells on the prospects of a great lemon production in that county, which already leads all others in this respect. In lemon growing San Diego county takes the lead of any section of the entire country. In the frostless belt that skirts this magnificent bay and extends for some miles back into the country, the finest lemons raised in the United States—as fine, in fact, as any produced on the shores of the Mediterranean—are grown to perfection. At present there are about 52,000 lemon trees bearing in this favored locality, but the vast progress which the industry is making may be judged from the fact that there are 378,000 trees of this fruit which are not yet bearing, many of which were set out during the past year. At the present ratio of production only two or three years will have passed before this county will have 2000 car loads of this fruit to supply to the outside world.

This story is located down in New Jersey. There is a clergyman down there who has just received an unusual Christmas gift. "He has charge of churches in two neighboring towns, the result being that, in the place where he doesn't live, he has been in the habit of cutting short his Sunday evening sermons in order to catch a train and get home that night. His congregation (evidently) like his discourses and grudge consequently their being shortened up. So they put their heads together to see what could be done. As a result, when the Christmas festival was held at this church and the children were merrymaking over the presents, something else happened. There was a great noise on the wooden steps outside, the doors being flung open, and up the aisle stamped a fine bay horse led by two boys in livery. Thereupon the Sunday school superintendent explained to the astonished pastor that the animal was for him and for nobody else; it being hoped that with this bucephalic aid he might ignore trains and give his flock a full dose of the gospel."

Death of John W. Coleman.

The demise of this well known citizen of Oakland will surprise many who had known him as an active business man. Mr. Coleman's residence was on Eighth street, in this city. A few weeks ago, he took up his winter residence, with his family, at the Palace hotel in San Francisco. The deceased had been engaged in many important business enterprises. He was for some years president of the North Pacific Coast Railroad Company, conducting its business with signal ability, until he sold his interest therein. He was one of the chief promoters of the Oakland Consolidated Road, extending from this city to Berkeley. He was a large stockholder in the Oakland Gas Company, and on the death of Joseph Eastland succeeded him as president of that company. The deceased had also been successfully engaged in several mining enterprises.

For several years past Mr. Coleman had been a director of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution at Berkeley. He took great interest in all the affairs of that institution. His business sagacity and wise counsel were highly appreciated by his associate directors. He was regarded in all his business relations as a shrewd, conservative man of great executive ability. He had acquired a fortune and had begun to take life with the most comfortable environment when his sudden demise occured. The deceased had by his investments of capital in many local enterprises contributed much to the prosperity of Oakland. His death is a public loss.

Has Spain Lost Cuba?

If the report is true that the revolutionists have entered Havana, then Spain has lost Cuba. For some days past the Cubans have been within a few miles of that city. The Spanish general had apparently made his last stand in Havana. It is only a short time since reports were sent out by the royalists that the revolutionists were in a desperate way and could not hold out much longer. There is good reason to believe that for the last six months or more the Cubans had made steady progress towards a final victory. Whenever they met the royalists in an open field the latter were defeated, or, what amounted to the same thing, were forced to retreat. The Cubans have gained their victories at much less loss of life than was suffered on the other side. But in the last six months they have laid waste many of the best sugar plantations on the island.

What will follow the defeat of the royalists? They have been represented by nearly a hundred thousand fighting men. There has been no lack of treasure. Spain sent her best troops to conquer Cuba, which she had long designated "the ever faithful isle." It may be that the end of Spanish administration has not yet come, but the end in Cuba cannot be far off. The Cubans long ago drafted a constitution, which had received the signatures of all the leading revolutionists. That constitution establishes a republic. Having fought their way to independence, the first nation to recognize the new republic will probably be the United States. Then all the Latin Republics of North and South America will probably fall into line. It will make little difference whether the Cubans are acknowledged in Europe. Cuba has no navy and very little money. The Hawaiian republic has no navy and gets along very well without one. Perhaps Cuba will never need one larger than the Haytien Republic now supports, whose ships are seldom seen in foreign waters.

If Cuba reaches the condition of actual independence, it will be largely due to the aid that has been rendered by citizens of the United States. While not many Americans have enlisted in the army of the revolutionists on account of the climate, there has been a constant transmission of the best small arms from this country. The Cubans announced a year ago that they did not lack men; all they wanted was a good supply of small arms. They fought with machetes and every rude implement they could find until nearly every man had put into his hands a repeating rifle. When this advantage had been gained there appeared to be a steady decline in the work of subjugation. The revolutionists more than held their own. They made steady advances towards a final victory. The Republic of Cuba is today something more than a dream.

Gov. Budd Looks Into the School Books.

Some years ago the strife among school book publishers and the tricks of the trade were so annoying that it was determined to set up an establishment at Sacramento and manufacture school books. It was assumed by some that a bran new home-made article would meet the wants of the day. The schools would escape the annoyance of continual changes, and there would be peace.

The original plan was for the State authorities to select a series of books from the best that had already been published, buy the copy rights, and procure the publication at cost for the use of the schools. That was a simple plan free from all complications. It was afterwards decided that the State should go into the manufacture of school books, and that these should be published from the text prepared at home. Estimates were made of the large amounts that would be saved in this way. The schools would be supplied with better and cheaper books and everything would be lovely. After a while the first books began to appear. The mechanical work was so poor that many of the books rapidly dropped in pieces. There were many gross errors. When an effort was made to trace home the responsibility no one could be found willing to accept it. The soothing reply generally was that there was a great gain for the public in the present plan of publication.

If a commission of the best educators in the State had been authorized to revise the books and to throw out such as were radically imperfect, there might have been little occasion to complain of bad work. Just what Prof. Lange of the University of California had done in the one instance of a text book referred to him could have been done by a commission of such men. Errors could have been pointed out, revisions made, and the best educational talent of the State brought in to secure a series of perfect text books. The Governor is probing just now on the financial side, but has not yet touched the bottom of a very unsatisfactory business.

The Old Game of Conquest.

From the disclosures that have already been made it is morally certain that Great Britain intended at no distant day to absorb the Dutch Republic of South Africa. The initiative was taken at Cape Town. The South African Company invaded the Transvaal with 700 armed men. It was expected that there would be a rally of English forces at Johannesburg and that the Boers would be forced to submit to superior numbers.

It was the old plan of conquest. The British government, behind an incorporated trading company, could at any time disavow invasion, if any dangerous question arose. The truth is the British have long coveted the whole of South Africa. The Boers and the Germans have been the chief obstructions. These appear just now to be making common cause against British aggression. The latter has carried its conquest beyond the Dutch Republic into Mashonaland by precisely the same means that were employed to invade the Transvaal.

When the German Emperor sent his congratulations to the President of the Transvaal that he had successfully resisted British invasion, the latter considered the message as little short of an insult. The fact is brought into the foreground that the proceeding is one of national consequence. Germany will stand by the Dutch Republic. There can be no British invasion without encountering a power that on the land is stronger than Great Britain. It is not probable that there will be any war, but there will be the usual amount of British bluster. The Boers will perhaps make some concessions. But they will govern the Transvaal. The assembling of ships at Cape Town and the mobilization of forces in the colony, as if war might be the last resort, have little more than a temporary significance. Great Britain will not fight Germany and the Dutch of South Africa.

Will the new woman take any interest in leap year? The Washington Star brings out the old legend about St. Patrick and leap year at the time he was Christianizing Ireland: "The legend runs that, having accomplished this most praiseworthy feat, the holy man was walking along the shores of Lough Neagh when he was addressed by St. Bridget, weeping because there was a mutiny in the institution over which she presided. Her charges had claimed the right to 'pop the question.' St. Patrick acknowledged the general justice of their demands, and said he would grant the right to propose every seventh year. St. Bridget protested that her girls would never be content with such a proposal, whereupon St. Patrick agreed to reduce the time to four years and offered, in the bargain, to select leap year, the longest year of all, as that in which women might propose. That identical year being provided with an extra day, St. Bridget immediately inaugurated the custom by proposing to St. Patrick, who, of course, declined in deference to his priestly occupation. St. Bridget protested that this was a violation of the bargain, and a compromise was finally reached by which St. Patrick escaped from matrimony by giving a kiss and a silk gown, which for centuries formed the penalty paid by a man who declined a woman's proposal."

This news comes from Washington: "A disagreement has arisen in the First Presbyterian church of Washington between Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage and the assistant pastor, Rev. Adolos Allen, over which a special meeting of the Washington Presbytery will be called. When Dr. Talmage came to the church recently it was arranged that he should preach Sunday evenings, while Dr. Sunderland, with whom he was made co-pastor, should alternate in the pulpit Sunday mornings with Mr. Allen, the assistant pastor. The church has been crowded on Sunday evenings since Dr. Talmage began to preach, and there is a demand that he should hold the pulpit twice on Sundays. Offers have also come from other churches for Dr. Talmage's services on Sunday mornings. He has announced to the elders that he desires to preach twice each Sunday; that he is able to, and that the pressure on him seems a providential call. The elders have the same opinion." Mr. Allen stands upon his rights as defined in his contract and does not see why he should be crowded out of his pulpit because Talmage wants it for exploiting twice a day.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

A foot race from Marathon to Athens, twenty-six miles, probably in memory of Phidippides, will be one of the features of the Olympic games, which begin on April 5 and continue till April 15. They will include, besides foot and cycle races, long and high jumps, pole vault, putting the weight, fencing, shooting, tennis, cricket, football, gymnastics, swimming, and yacht races. Eight hundred German gymnastic societies are going to enter the games.

An instance of how savages disregard pain comes from Nyassaland. A cartridge dropped in the camp fire exploded, injuring the hand of one of Mr. H. H. Johnston's porters, so that the doctor amputated the man's fingers and thumb. As he seemed weak from the effects of the chloroform, he was told to stay in the hospital and come for treatment next day. In the morning he could not be found, and it was afterward discovered that he had taken up his load with the other carriers and carried it to Blantyre, over forty miles away.

An incident in illustration of a smart trick said to be not infrequently played by coyotes in securing food from among the herds of sheep on Western ranches is related by a rancher of Grant county, Or. He had a herd of about 1,900 sheep, and recently missed a large number. In searching for them a herder found three sheep lying on the brink of a precipice, their throats marked with the teeth of a coyote. He made his way to the bottom of a canyon, 300 feet below, and there found the bodies of 110 sheep, or rather parts of their bodies, for the coyotes had been feeding on the carcasses for a week or more. From other incidents of like character it was concluded that several coyotes had got among the herd when the sheep were driven off their bedding ground during a storm, and had herded them to the brink of the precipice, much as a lot of dogs would drive sheep. When the edge was reached the coyotes pressed the herd so hard in the rear that the 110 at the front either jumped or were pushed over the precipice.

A new woman movement which was started recently in Worcester, Mass., has been scotched by the municipal authorities. During the hard times of the past year or so a great many girls started in the business of selling newspapers on the streets, and soon the newsboys were hard pressed and in danger of being driven out of the business. It has just been determined not to allow girls to sell papers on the streets, because of the physical hardships and discomforts, and of the evil influences to which they are exposed.

Little Grand Duchess Olga of Russia was taken from the Alexander Palace to be christened at Zarskoe Selo in a state carriage built in 1709 for Catherine I. It is heavily gilt, decorated with red velvet. The harness is studded with diamonds. The coach was used at the coronation of Alexander II. in 1856 and at that of Alexander III. in 1883.

At Blackwall the largest battle ship in the world is nearly ready for launching. It was built for the Japanese government, and will be called the Fuji, instead of Fusi Yama, as originally intended. It is a battle ship with Harveyized steel armor, 400 feet long, 73 feet broad, and 44 feet deep.

Dr. Gaster has discovered in a heap of torn papers sent to him from Yemen, in Arabia, an ancient book of magic called "The Sword of Moses." It was written in a Syrian hand, the first part in Hebrew and the last in Aramaic. It will be published with a translation and fac-similes in the transactions of the Royal Asiatic Society.

More Beef.

In the most highly civilized European countries an increased consumption of animal food is regarded as a certain sign of national prosperity; and the inference is, for the most part, correctly drawn. The poor know full well that meats of various kinds enter largely into the diet of the rich; experience teaches them that a few ounces of beef or mutton are far more satisfying than any combination of vegetables, and, if their circumstances improve, they soon increase the supply of animal food for themselves and families. It has often been remarked that a decrease in the price of bread is followed not by increased consumption of that article, but by an increased demand for meat; the money saved in the expenditure on bread goes to procure a further supply of animal food. In certain classes of the community, not prone to exhibit much self-restraint, an enormous consumption of animal food is the invariable accompaniment of increased earnings. The old-fashioned contempt for foreigners was based, to some extent, on the belief that they could not be otherwise than miserable creatures because of the character of their diet. Martin Poyser, in "Adam Bede," well expresses the popular idea once entertained with regard to the French and their food: "They ne'er ate a bit o' beef i' their lives. Mostly sallet, I reckon."

If, however, all extreme cases be disregarded, and only moderate people of all ranks be taken into consideration, it will be found that the majority regard animal food as the staff of life, and vegetables of all kinds as more or less important accessories, but as serving mainly to dilute a diet which would otherwise be too strong for the system. Absolutely to exclude meat from our regular diet and to attempt to exist on vegetables alone, would be regarded by most persons as a sign of craziness and as certain to be followed by mental and physical degeneration.

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"Yes, sir," said the man as he moved away.

"And, Dick," said the Senator, calling him back.

"Yes, sir," said the waiter.

"I don't want it decorated with any of that d—d grass, either!"

And so, when the plate of cold turkey appeared the usual garnishing of green parsley was omitted.—Washington Post.

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Northern California — Unsettled weather and probably showers tonight and Wednesday in the northern portion; warmer in the extreme eastern portion tonight; southeasterly winds.

Southern California—Fair; stationary temperature; light easterly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Increasing cloudiness; conditions uncertain for Wednesday; stationary temperature; southeasterly winds.

A. M'ADIE, Local Forecast Official.

TUESDAY.....JANUARY 7, 1896.

The citrus growers of Southern California have poked a great deal of fun at the citrus growers of Northern California. Now the joke is on the other side. A Chico paper extends a cordial invitation to the orange growers of Riverside to move up into Butte county, where the thermometer never falls below 30 degrees. They can save about 10 degrees of cold by such a movement.

The New York World has a way of putting important facts into the space of a nut shell. Here is a good illustration: "In February last some sixty-odd millions of thirty-year 4 per cent bonds of the United States were privately sold to a syndicate of bankers at 104½. They were worth in the open market about 120. Shortly afterwards the syndicate bankers divided these bonds among themselves at the nominal price of 112½. The moment the securities were placed upon the market the price rose to 116½@118. A little later it was 120. On December 21 they were worth 119. After the Jingo message was sent to Congress they declined to 116 and 116½. Now that the war craze is over they have recovered to 118."

The San Diego Union in its New Year's edition, besides writing up that city as it deserves, dwells on the prospects of a great lemon production in that county, which already leads all others in this respect. In lemon growing San Diego county takes the lead of any section of the entire country. In the frostless belt that skirts this magnificent bay and extends for some miles back into the country, the finest lemons raised in the United States—as fine, in fact, as any produced on the shores of the Mediterranean—are grown to perfection. At present there are about 52,000 lemon trees bearing in this favored locality, but the vast progress which the industry is making may be judged from the fact that there are 378,000 trees of this fruit which are not yet bearing, many of which were set out during the past year. At the present ratio of production only two or three years will have passed before this county will have 2000 car loads of this fruit to supply to the outside world.

This story is located down in New Jersey. There is a clergyman down there who has just received an unusual Christmas gift. "He has charge of churches in two neighboring towns, the result being that, in the place where he doesn't live, he has been in the habit of cutting short his Sunday evening sermons in order to catch a train and get home that night. His congregation (evidently) like his discourses and grudge consequently their being shortened up. So they put their heads together to see what could be done. As a result, when the Christmas festival was held at this church and the children were merrymaking over the presents, something else happened. There was a great noise on the wooden steps outside, the doors being flung open, and up the aisle stamped a fine bay horse led by two boys in livery. Thereupon the Sunday school superintendent explained to the astonished pastor that the animal was for him and for nobody else; it being hoped that with this bucephalic aid he might ignore trains and give his flock a full dose of the gospel."

Death of John W. Coleman.

The demise of this well known citizen of Oakland will surprise many who had known him as an active business man. Mr. Coleman's residence was on Eighth street, in this city. A few weeks ago, he took up his winter residence, with his family, at the Palace hotel in San Francisco. The deceased had been engaged in many important business enterprises. He was for some years president of the North Pacific Coast Railroad Company, conducting its business with signal ability, until he sold his interest therein. He was one of the chief promoters of the Oakland Consolidated Road, extending from this city to Berkeley. He was a large stockholder in the Oakland Gas Company, and on the death of Joseph Eastland succeeded him as president of that company. The deceased had also been successfully engaged in several mining enterprises.

For several years past Mr. Coleman had been a director of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution at Berkeley. He took great interest in all the affairs of that institution. His business sagacity and wise counsel were highly appreciated by his associate directors. He was regarded in all his business relations as a shrewd, conservative man of great executive ability. He had acquired a fortune and had begun to take life with the most comfortable environment when his sudden demise occured. The deceased had by his investments of capital in many local enterprises contributed much to the prosperity of Oakland. His death is a public loss.

Has Spain Lost Cuba?

If the report is true that the revolutionists have entered Havana, then Spain has lost Cuba. For some days past the Cubans have been within a few miles of that city. The Spanish general had apparently made his last stand in Havana. It is only a short time since reports were sent out by the royalists that the revolutionists were in a desperate way and could not hold out much longer. There is good reason to believe that for the last six months or more the Cubans had made steady progress towards a final victory. Whenever they met the royalists in an open field the latter were defeated, or, what amounted to the same thing, were forced to retreat. The Cubans have gained their victories at much less loss of life than was suffered on the other side. But in the last six months they have laid waste many of the best sugar plantations on the island.

What will follow the defeat of the royalists? They have been represented by nearly a hundred thousand fighting men. There has been no lack of treasure. Spain sent her best troops to conquer Cuba, which she had long designated "the ever faithful isle." It may be that the end of Spanish administration has not yet come, but the end in Cuba cannot be far off. The Cubans long ago drafted a constitution, which had received the signatures of all the leading revolutionists. That constitution establishes a republic. Having fought their way to independence, the first nation to recognize the new republic will probably be the United States. Then all the Latin Republics of North and South America will probably fall into line. It will make little difference whether the Cubans are acknowledged in Europe. Cuba has no navy and very little money. The Hawaiian republic has no navy and gets along very well without one. Perhaps Cuba will never need one larger than the Haytien Republic now supports, whose ships are seldom seen in foreign waters.

If Cuba reaches the condition of actual independence, it will be largely due to the aid that has been rendered by citizens of the United States. While not many Americans have enlisted in the army of the revolutionists on account of the climate, there has been a constant transmission of the best small arms from this country. The Cubans announced a year ago that they did not lack men; all they wanted was a good supply of small arms. They fought with machetes and every rude implement they could find until nearly every man had put into his hands a repeating rifle. When this advantage had been gained there appeared to be a steady decline in the work of subjugation. The revolutionists more than held their own. They made steady advances towards a final victory. The Republic of Cuba is today something more than a dream.

Gov. Budd Looks Into the School Books.

Some years ago the strife among school book publishers and the tricks of the trade were so annoying that it was determined to set up an establishment at Sacramento and manufacture school books. It was assumed by some that a bran new home-made article would meet the wants of the day. The schools would escape the annoyance of continual changes, and there would be peace.

The original plan was for the State authorities to select a series of books from the best that had already been published, buy the copy rights, and procure the publication at cost for the use of the schools. That was a simple plan free from all complications. It was afterwards decided that the State should go into the manufacture of school books, and that these should be published from the text prepared at home. Estimates were made of the large amounts that would be saved in this way. The schools would be supplied with better and cheaper books and everything would be lovely. After a while the first books began to appear. The mechanical work was so poor that many of the books rapidly dropped in pieces. There were many gross errors. When an effort was made to trace home the responsibility no one could be found willing to accept it. The soothing reply generally was that there was a great gain for the public in the present plan of publication.

If a commission of the best educators in the State had been authorized to revise the books and to throw out such as were radically imperfect, there might have been little occasion to complain of bad work. Just what Prof. Lange of the University of California had done in the one instance of a text book referred to him could have been done by a commission of such men. Errors could have been pointed out, revisions made, and the best educational talent of the State brought in to secure a series of perfect text books. The Governor is probing just now on the financial side, but has not yet touched the bottom of a very unsatisfactory business.

The Old Game of Conquest.

From the disclosures that have already been made it is morally certain that Great Britain intended at no distant day to absorb the Dutch Republic of South Africa. The initiative was taken at Cape Town. The South African Company invaded the Transvaal with 700 armed men. It was expected that there would be a rally of English forces at Johannesburg and that the Boers would be forced to submit to superior numbers.

It was the old plan of conquest. The British government, behind an incorporated trading company, could at any time disavow invasion, if any dangerous question arose. The truth is the British have long coveted the whole of South Africa. The Boers and the Germans have been the chief obstructions. These appear just now to be making common cause against British aggression. The latter has carried its conquest beyond the Dutch Republic into Mashonaland by precisely the same means that were employed to invade the Transvaal.

When the German Emperor sent his congratulations to the President of the Transvaal that he had successfully resisted British invasion, the latter considered the message as little short of an insult. The fact is brought into the foreground that the proceeding is one of national consequence. Germany will stand by the Dutch Republic. There can be no British invasion without encountering a power that on the land is stronger than Great Britain. It is not probable that there will be any war, but there will be the usual amount of British bluster. The Boers will perhaps make some concessions. But they will govern the Transvaal. The assembling of ships at Cape Town and the mobilization of forces in the colony, as if war might be the last resort, have little more than a temporary significance. Great Britain will not fight Germany and the Dutch of South Africa.

Will the new woman take any interest in leap year? The Washington Star brings out the old legend about St. Patrick and leap year at the time he was Christianizing Ireland: "The legend runs that, having accomplished this most praiseworthy feat, the holy man was walking along the shores of Lough Neagh when he was addressed by St. Bridget, weeping because there was a mutiny in the institution over which she presided. Her charges had claimed the right to 'pop the question.' St. Patrick acknowledged the general justice of their demands, and said he would grant the right to propose every seventh year. St. Bridget protested that her girls would never be content with such a proposal, whereupon St. Patrick agreed to reduce the time to four years and offered, in the bargain, to select leap year, the longest year of all, as that in which women might propose. That identical year being provided with an extra day, St Bridget immediately inaugurated the custom by proposing to St. Patrick, who, of course, declined in deference to his priestly occupation. St Bridget protested that this was a violation of the bargain, and a compromise was finally reached by which St. Patrick escaped from matrimony by giving a kiss and a silk gown, which for centuries formed the penalty paid by a man who declined a woman's proposal."

This news comes from Washington: "A disagreement has arisen in the First Presbyterian church of Washington between Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage and the assistant pastor, Rev. Adolos Allen, over which a special meeting of the Washington Presbytery will be called. When Dr. Talmage came to the church recently it was arranged that he should preach Sunday evenings, while Dr. Sunderland, with whom he was made copastor, should alternate in the pulpit Sunday mornings with Mr. Allen, the assistant pastor. The church has been crowded on Sunday evenings since Dr. Talmage began to preach, and there is a demand that he should hold the pulpit twice on Sundays. Offers have also come from other churches for Dr. Talmage's services on Sunday mornings. He has announced to the elders that he desires to preach twice each Sunday; that he is able to, and that the pressure on him seems a providential call. The elders have the same opinion." Mr. Allen stands upon his rights as defined in his contract and does not see why he should be crowded out of his pulpit because Talmage wants it for exploiting twice a day.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

A foot race from Marathon to Athens, twenty-six miles, probably in memory of Phidippides, will be one of the features of the Olympic games, which begin on April 5 and continue till April 15. They will include, besides foot and cycle races, long and high jumps, pole vault, putting the weight, fencing, shooting, tennis, cricket, football, gymnastics, swimming, and yacht races. Eight hundred German gymnastic societies are going to enter the games.

An instance of how savages disregard pain comes from Nyassaland. A cartridge dropped in the camp fire exploded, injuring the hand of one of Mr. H. H. Johnston's porters, so that the doctor amputated the man's fingers and thumb. As he seemed weak from the effects of the chloroform, he was told to stay in the hospital and come for treatment next day. In the morning he could not be found, and it was afterward discovered that he had taken up his load with the other carriers and carried it to Blantyre, over forty miles away.

An incident in illustration of a smart trick said to be not infrequently played by coyotes in securing food from among the herds of sheep on Western ranches is related by a rancher of Grant county, Or. He had a herd of about 1,900 sheep, and recently missed a large number. In searching for them a herder found three sheep lying on the brink of a precipice, their throats marked with the teeth of a coyote. He made his way to the bottom of a canyon, 300 feet below, and there found the bodies of 110 sheep, or rather parts of their bodies, for the coyotes had been feeding on the carcasses for a week or more. From other incidents of like character it was concluded that several coyotes had got among the herd when the sheep were driven off their bedding ground during a storm, and had herded them to the brink of the precipice, much as a lot of dogs would drive sheep. When the edge was reached the coyotes pressed the herd so hard in the rear that the 110 at the front either jumped or were pushed over the precipice.

A new woman movement which was started recently in Worcester, Mass., has been scotched by the municipal authorities. During the hard times of the past year or so a great many girls started in the business of selling newspapers on the streets, and soon the newsboys were hard pressed and in danger of being driven out of the business. It has just been determined not to allow girls to sell papers on the streets, because of the physical hardships and discomforts, and of the evil influences to which they are exposed.

Little Grand Duchess Olga of Russia was taken from the Alexander Palace to be christened at Zarskoe Selo in a state carriage built in 1709 for Catherine I. It is heavily gilt, decorated with red velvet. The harness is studded with diamonds. The coach was used at the coronation of Alexander II. in 1856 and at that of Alexander III. in 1883.

At Blackwall the largest battle ship in the world is nearly ready for launching. It was built for the Japanese government, and will be called the Fuji, instead of Fusi Yama, as originally intended. It is a battle ship with Harveyized steel armor, 400 feet long, 73 feet broad, and 44 feet deep.

Dr. Gaster has discovered in a heap of torn papers sent to him from Yemen, in Arabia, an ancient book of magic called "The Sword of Moses." It was written in a Syrian hand, the first part in Hebrew and the last in Aramaic. It will be published with a translation and fac-similies in the transactions of the Royal Asiatic Society.

More Beef.

In the most highly civilized European countries an increased consumption of animal food is regarded as a certain sign of national prosperity; and the inference is, for the most part, correctly drawn. The poor know full well that meats of various kinds enter largely into the diet of the rich; experience teaches them that a few ounces of beef or mutton are far more satisfying than any combination of vegetables, and, if their circumstances improve, they soon increase the supply of animal food for themselves and families. It has often been remarked that a decrease in the price of bread is followed not by increased consumption of that article, but by an increased demand for meat; the money saved in the expenditure on bread goes to procure a further supply of animal food. In certain classes of the community, not prone to exhibit much self-restraint, an enormous consumption of animal food is the invariable accompaniment of increased earnings. The old-fashioned contempt for foreigners was based, to some extent, on the belief that they could not be otherwise than miserable creatures because of the character of their diet. Martin Poyser, in "Adam Bede," well expresses the popular idea once entertained with regard to the French and their food: "They ne'er ate a bit o' beef i' their lives. Mostly sallet, I reckon."

If however, all extreme cases be disregarded, and only moderate people of all ranks be taken into consideration, it will be found that the majority regard animal food as the staff of life, and vegetables of all kinds as more or less important accessories, but as serving mainly to dilute a diet which would otherwise be too strong for the system. Absolutely to exclude meat from our regular diet and to attempt to exist on vegetables alone, would be regarded by most persons as a sign of craziness and as certain to be followed by mental and physical degeneration.

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"Yes, sir," said the man as he moved away.

"And, Dick," said the Senator, calling him back.

"Yes, sir," said the waiter.

"I don't want it decorated with any of that d—d grass, either!"

And so, when the plate of cold turkey appeared the usual garnishing of green parsley was omitted.—Washington Post.

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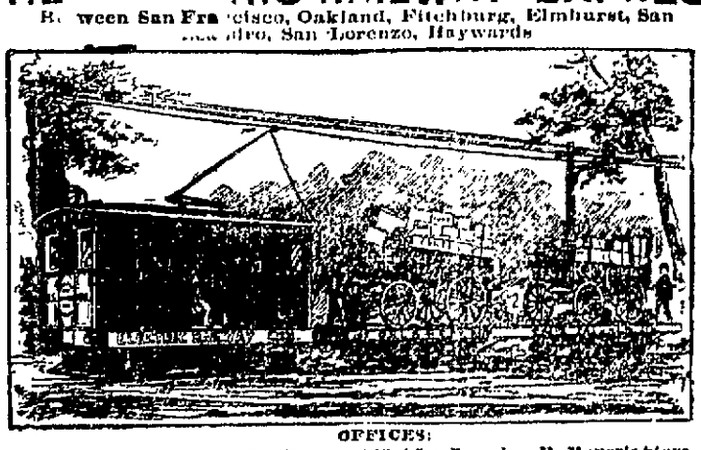
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Black Sateen, English Embroidery in colors, $1.50. Our regular $2.50 Skirt.

Children's Reefers at 50c.

A neat Jacket in Navy, Garnet and Tan, sizes 4, 6 and 8, were $1.00 and $1.25.

Children's Colored Cloaks

Every one in the house marked special. Now prices run from 50c to $5.25. There are too many of them to quote prices on.

Traveling Rugs

The finer grades being closed out at special prices.

Winter Underwear, 25c, 50c,

Ladies' Vests, camel's hair color, quite heavy, 25c.

Ladies' Vests, natural wool, mixed soft and good, 50c.

Children's Hosiery, 10c, 15c.

Narrow ribbed, fast black, sizes 5 to 8 in., at 10c. These are without seams and will wear well.

At 15c a pair, as good as you ever bought for 25c, Children's Seamless Fast Black Stockings, double knees, heels and toes, 6 to 9½ in

Ladies' Over Gaiters

Or 7-Button Leggins, made of good cloth, this week at 20c a pair.

Muslin Underwear Samples

Gowns and Skirts. Grades worth from $2 to $10 regular, now $1.10 to $6.25 per garment. These are the very finest goods shown

Embroideries

Every yard of embroidery in the house at a special price.

Veilings—Extra Special

For this week, all 25c Veilings for 15c, all 50c Veilings for 30c. All new and choice styles.

Silk Specials

20-in. China Silk, all colors, at 20c a yard.

32-in. Drapery Silk, many designs, at 40c a yard.

Yarn Slippers at 50c

With warm wool soles; not many left, so come early.

Silk Fringe at 5c a yard

Suitable for fancy work—Tidies, Mantle Drapes, etc., etc. Assorted colors

WHAT THEY SAY.

Some Words of Encouragement From Persons Whose Experience Is Valuable.

"Indigestion is the curse of this country," says a New York medical journal in a recent editorial. "Both men and women suffer from this distressing complaint and it causes a tremendous amount of misery."

This is all very true but there is no reason why any man or woman should suffer from indigestion when there is a ready means of preventing it. Thousands of people have discovered a sure cure for this much dreaded complaint and some of them have given the public the benefit of their experience.

Mrs. E. Tarlton, 305 Park avenue, Cincinnati, says: "I had dyspepsia for fifteen years and was entirely cured by taking Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. I had tried almost everything and know that this whiskey cures where all others fail. I am advising all my friends to use it."

W. F. Anderson, 617 West Indiana street, Chicago, says: "I used Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for indigestion and dyspepsia. My stomach is now in better condition than it has been for years past. Seven of my friends are using it with the same results."

These are only two cases selected from thousands of others but they are sufficient to prove that dyspepsia and indigestion can be always avoided by the regular use of Duffy's Pure Malt. It will not only keep the digestive organs in perfect condition but give tone and energy to every part of the body. There is no other whiskey like it, nothing else that can take its place. Therefore, make sure that you get no inferior imitation when purchasing from your grocer or druggist.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Benedicts' and Bachelors' Cotillon Club will not take place Wednesday evening on account of the death of J. W. Coleman. Miss Jessie Coleman was to have led.

Mrs. A. M. Meredith, who recently returned from an extended visit to New York, has gone to St. Helena, where she will spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. McKender.

Miss Owens of this city is visiting with Miss Georgie Smith of Stockton.

Miss Corliss is the guest of Miss Mae Baker of Stockton.

Mrs. Belle McCallum has returned to town, after a week's visit to Stockton.

Miss Carrie Beas arrived in Oakland today from Santa Cruz.

Misses Lena and Louise Merk have returned to their home in St. Helena after a pleasant visit in this city.

Miss Nellie Lynch returned from Redding Sunday to resume her duties as teacher in the Oakland school department.

J. B. Treadwell is in San Diego at the Brewster

Albert Bader, who recently moved to this city from San Andreas, spent a few days of last week in Los Angeles.

Judge Sawyer has been visiting Alex Gordon at San Mateo. The two men were mining partners forty years ago.

Orrin Gowell, the well-known mining man of this section, is in Nevada City on mining business.

Conductor Eugene Merrill is the guest of his brother-in-law, Joseph Thompson, assistant superintendent of the Southern Pacific Company.

Miss Bertha Hall, recently a resident of Oakland, has returned to her old home in Stockton, where she will teach in the young ladies' seminary.

Mrs. Fred Pollard has returned to her home in Stockton after sending a few days in town.

W. D. Chamberlain is visiting in Santa Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheriff Veale of Contra Costa paid Oakland a short visit last week.

Professor J. E. Hayman, who with his wife attended the teachers' convention, left this morning for his home in Colusa.

Judge and Mrs. J. M. Gregory of Solano gave a party in honor of the Misses Craven of this city and C. Dole of Stanford at their Solano residence on Thursday evening of this week.

Miss Pearl Morgan of San Leandro is in town visiting friends.

Rev. Edwards Davis entertained the ministers of the Christian churches of Oakland and vicinity at his home on Fruitvale Heights yesterday at noon. This is the initial meeting of the Christian ministers for theological discussion and it proved a great success. Luncheon was served at noon which temporarily stopped the learned talk. Among those present were, Dr. W. C. Gardner and Rev. E. M. Campbell of San Francisco, Rector Henry V. Morgan of Alameda, Professor A. M. Elston of Berkeley, Evangelist S. M. Martin and Everson W. Mathews

The young men of the First M. E. church gave a "Cafe Bachelor" lunch to their young lady friends on New Year's day. In the afternoon a comic programme was rendered and in the evening a musical and literary entertainment was given. The supper which was served was cooked by the boys, and the way it disappeared spoke well for the young men as cooks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Daniels have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter Madeline to Charles Henry Starkweather. The wedding will take place at St. John's church, corner Eighth and Jefferson streets, on Sunday, January 12th, at high noon. After February 20th the happy couple will be at home on Wednesdays at 956 Twenty-eighth street.

Mills College opens again tomorrow.

Miss Mary Cook gave a lunch party Saturday at her home in East Oakland. The decorations for rooms and tables were red, presenting a very pretty appearance. Miss Cook's invited guests were Mrs. C. Lowell, Mrs. Crist, Mrs W. Davis, Mrs. W. Street, Mrs. C. Riggs, Miss Alice Parson, Miss Sophie Green, Miss Annie Rogers, Miss Bertha Tum Suden, Miss Sophie Crist, Miss Annie McMinnamen, Miss Mary Metzgar, Miss Elsie Dorch, Miss Rhoda Hayes, Miss Andry Davis, Miss Annie Hayes, Miss Reed, Miss Tillie Dorch and Miss May Green.

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Public Administrator's Report.

TO THE HONORABLE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA: W. H. Knight, Public Administrator of said county respectfully makes this return of all estates of decedents which has come into his hands for the term commencing July 1, 1895, and ending January 1, 1896, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1736, Code of Civil Procedure of California.

Number of Estate	Date of Issuance	NAME OF DECEDENT	Approximate Value of Estate as Far as Ascertained	Money Which Has Come Into the Hands of the Public Administrator	Fees, Expenses, Funeral Expenses, Debts, Family Allowances, Paid by the Public Administrator	Balance of Money on Hand	Administration Fees Paid	Remarks.
	1895.							
4227	May 13,	T. J. Walsh						In litigation.
4307	July 8,	Elizabeth L. Cook						In litigation.
4371	July 17,	Francis K. Hong	$ 150 00	$ 3 70	$ 3 70			
4382	July 24,	Jane Williams	1,349 08	149 08	129 00	$ 20 08	$50 00	
2819	July 31,	William P. Clark	2,259 89					
4397	Aug. 6,	Catherine Mann	2,961 69					
4105	Aug. 12,	Andrew Gram	1,161 39	1,161 39	478 07	683 23	78 00	All real estate.
4411	Aug. 26,	John Keller	1,210 86	1,210 90	180 51	1,030 39		
1113	Aug. 26,	William H. Scott						
1153	Sep. 3,	George M. Francis	28,049 56	1,546 17	513 72	981 45		
4433	Sep. 3,	John Curry Spiral						
1125	Sep. 16,	Frank W. Cannliff						
1300	Sep. 16,	Louisa K. Gwynn	600 00					Undetermined interest in residue of estate.
1443	Sep. 30,	Gustav Johnson	226 80	26 50		6 80		In litigation.
4117	Oct. 8,	William F. Cashman						
4476	Oct. 8,	Frank N. Escher, special						Contest pending.
4476	Oct. 21	Frank N. Escher						
1153	Nov. 4	John F. Herrick	10,000 00	5,811 35	2,977 75	2,863 63		
1377	Nov. 11,	N. J. Connelly						Letters issued for litigation.
1480	Nov. 11,	George W. Taft						In litigation.
4498	Nov. 12,	F. G. Gallagher						Contest pending.
4499	Nov. 12,	H. G. Gallagher						In litigation.
3908	Nov. 12,	John Brady						In litigation.
4507	Nov. 18,	Dina G. Sole						In litigation.
4194	Dec. 2,	Augusta Hartvig	2,657 25	2,675 25		2,655 25		
4529	Dec. 9,	W. H. Lewis	400 00					
4539	Dec. 16,	Andrew Patterson	214 50	64 50		64 50		
4560	Dec. 16,	James McKeonn						Undivided interests in real estate.
4562	Dec. 16,	A. J. Alver						Not yet received.
1551	Dec. 30,	Sarah J. Duffy						Character of estate undetermined.
								In litigation.
		Total	$55,838 88	$12,055 08	$ 4,352 78	$ 8,305 30		

State of California, County of Alameda. } ss.

W. H. Knight being first duly sworn according to law deposes and says that he is the Public Administrator of said Alameda County, that the foregoing is a full, true and correct return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the estates hereinbefore named; that he is not and was not at any time interested in the expenditure of any kind made on account of any estate he administers nor is he associated in business or otherwise with any one who is so interested.

W. H. KNIGHT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, A. D. 1896.

(Seal.)

F. J. WOODWARD,
Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda.

UNDER A NEW FLAG.

Berkeley's Lighting Franchise Goes to the Oakland Company.

BRITTON IS NOW PRESIDENT.

The Town Will Reap Material Benefits by the Change.

POLITICIANS ON THE ALERT.

The Postmastership the Plum They Are Eagerly Seeking.

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—At last the deal has been completed whereby the old management of the Berkeley Electric Light Company gives up its power and offices and the syndicate that is backing J. J. Mason came into control of the Board of Directors of the Berkeley company. Yesterday Mr. Mason succeeded in securing the entire 1000 shares of stock belonging to W. E. Sell. This gave his faction control of the company since they will own by this last sale 5,700 shares of the total 10,000 shares of stock. Altogether this is a big deal and means a great deal to the future of Berkeley.

The Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company which now comes into possession of the Berkeley plant and franchise at once proceeded to demonstrate their strength by the election of a new Board of Directors at a meeting held last evening.

Only one of the old directors, Anson S. Blake, vice president of the company, remains on the new board. W. E. Sells, the former president of the company, gives place to John A. Britton, the present secretary of the Oakland Light & Heat Works. The old Board which consists of W. E. Sell, Anson S. Blake, Theo. Wagner, C. S. Judson and J. George Gardiner, is replaced by John W. Coleman, John A. Britton, A. P. Eastland, Anson S. Blake and J. J. Mason.

At present the stock of the Berkeley company is not worth much, owing to the small population of the town, but the franchise is a valuable one, for the future as it gives a complete monopoly of the town in the lighting business. Thus the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company will control the lighting of all the proposed greater Oakland and it is probably with this idea in mind that the change has been made in ownership.

THE POSTMASTER FIGHT.

There is great agitation just at present over the postmastership. The present occupant of the office, James McCarthy, thinks he has filled the position very satisfactorily and a long petition to President Cleveland asking that he be retained is strong evidence of his popularity. There are numerous candidates though, also seeking the plum. Among these are Thomas Landregan and Charley Kerns.

Mr. Vincent who was in the race at the start, sailing under the colors of the Fitzgerald Democracy, has made overtures so it is said, to the anti-Landregan faction. Thus the fight goes merrily on. Every Berkeley citizen is buttonholed to sign some or all the petitions to his excellency, the Democratic president, and is then allowed to depart to his home in peace.

What has caused such an unusual bestirring for the Berkeley postmastership is the possibility of the new scheme of postoffice consolidation making the occupancy of the Berkeley office a permanent position under civil service rules. For it has been recommended to the postmaster general to consolidate all small offices like Berkeley under one head such as the postmaster of Oakland. He will be appointed by the president as is now done for a term of years, but the postmasters of the smaller offices will be in the nature of assistants appointed under civil service rules and examinations and will hold office by virtue of continued competency and good behavior. This is why the Berkeley men are scrambling for an office that they expect to hold for life if they can only get hold of it at this time.

"One thing however is forgotten in this fight," said a prominent citizen, "and that is that Berkeley will grow out of any swaddling clothes while Oakland may try to put her in. This too will happen long before any of the present applicants have a chance to get to be permanent fixtures in office. Then we shall demand an independent office."

THE CRESCENT CLUB.

The Crescent Athletic Club is the crack organization of Berkeley. Last night the annual election took place. A week ago nominations were made for the different offices and among them were: President, W. H. Waste; vice president, C. L. Tibber and S. H. Metcalf, treasurer, F. W. Foss and F. W. McClain, recording secretary, Walter A. Gompertz, financial secretary, W. H. Bone; leader, T. Hudson, George L. Wilcox, F. Strauss, field captain, C. T. Brehm and F. Armstrong; cycle captain, Otto Putzker, H. Price and F. W. Wilkens; four directors to be elected, C. Mikkelsen, W. E. Stamper, H. Hume, J. C. Anthony, F. Thompson, A. H. Quackenbush, C. Klein

After W. H. Waste had withdrawn his name from nomination for the presidency of the club, H. D. Kelsey was elected by acclamation. The following is the list of elected officers: President, H. D. Kelsey; vice president, W. A. Gomperiz; treasurer, Frank McClain; financial secretary, W. H. Bone; field captain, George L. Wilcox; and cycle captain, F. E. Wilkins. The Board of Directors is composed of Mikkelsen, Anthony Thompson and Quackenbush.

SCHOOL SUBJECTS.

The Board of Education met last evening and transacted an unusually large amount of business, most of which, however, consisted of ordering unpaid bills paid. As the new term opened yesterday the school department will from now on be very busy. There is an increase in the number of scholars amounting to fully sixty. East Berkeley contributes 37 new pupils; West Berkeley, 12; and Lorin 11. This shows a good growth and indicates that the advocates for school bonds are not too early in the field.

GENERAL GLEANINGS.

Percy Henson, the great Berkeley quarterback and captain of the 'Varsity for 1893 and 1894, has returned to Berkeley for a short time. While up north this season he coached an Oregon team that was able to beat a similar one coached by Captain Downing of Stanford and also the team that the celebrated Buck Morse of college fame, had under his instruction.

Professor Puget entertained a number of San Francisco friends at dinner yesterday at his beautiful home on Dwight Way. Regent Reinstein was the guest of honor.

A new canning company has recently been incorporated by Berkeley men with a capital amounting to a million dollars. The stockholders are Joseph Hume, Joseph Hume Jr., Philip Mills, and S. H. Wakeman. The new corporation is to be known as the Hume Canning Co.

Installing officer W. H. Waste administered the installation ceremonies of the Woodmen of the World to Court No. 64 in Oakland last evening.

The electric light subscription for the University grounds has reached $630. Today Mr. J. L. Scotchler is making a thorough canvass for funds.

James Donovan paid a fine of $10 yesterday in Judge James' court for brutally assaulting Poundmaster Lauterbach.

Court Ocean View, Order of Foresters, installs officers Thursday evening at West Berkeley.

The Directors of the Associated Charities meet tonight at the residence of F. K. Shattuck.

Boone's Academy opened yesterday with a full attendance.

Nettie Laymance, leading milliner, 955 Broadway.

BELMONT--VANDERBILT.

Society Expectant Over the News of the Approaching Marriage.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A local paper says: The marriage of Oliver H. P. Belmont and Mrs. Alva Vanderbilt will be celebrated at the residence of the latter on January 20th. On January 29th they will sail for Europe.

Such was the information given last night by one who is on the closest terms with Mrs. Vanderbilt. This person stated that the utmost secrecy was to be observed regarding the affair and that without doubt the ceremony would be witnessed by only a few persons. It has not been decided who will officiate. The exact time of it is also to be decided.

William K. Vanderbilt will sail today on his yacht Valiant for an extended cruise. Those who will go with him are Fred Beach, Winnie Hoyt, Louis Webb, and possibly Creighton Webb.

A Bad Week.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports 24 failures for the Pacific Coast States and Territories for the week ending Saturday, as compared with 15 for the previous week and 16 for the corresponding week of 1895. The failures were: Three general stores, 1 shingle mill, 2 cigar stores, 2 restaurants, 1 tea company, 1 wine and liquor company, 1 Japanese goods, 2 jewelers, 1 millinery, 1 pickle manfacturer, 1 drugs, 1 manufacturer of boxes, 1 men's furnishing, 1 grocer, 1 dry goods, 1 blacksmith.

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CRISP COUNTY CULLINGS.

News and Gossip About the Doings in Interior Towns.

General Conditions of Progress Are Noted Throughout the Community.

The latest happenings throughout the county are as follows:

SUNOL.

A few days ago Mrs. George Nusbaumer forgot her pocketbook in the station at Sunol when waiting for the train for Oakland. She rode as far as Niles and then took the train back to Sunol, only to find that the pocketbook had disappeared. It was noticed, however, that two strange men had been seen hanging around the station and it was supposed that they had found the pocketbook. They were traced on the road to Pleasanton and Constable Lyster of that place was telephoned to apprehend them. The constable succeeded in finding the men, and one of them, on being searched, was found to be in possession of the missing article. As they claimed to have found the pocketbook they were allowed to go free.

PLEASANTON.

The postmaster issued 131 money orders during the last month.

The preliminary examination of John Bernal for the shooting of Richard Foley, will take place on Saturday next.

The masquerade ball given on New Year's eve by the proprietors of the Rose hotel was a big success.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmussen gave a pleasant party at their residence, two miles north of town, a few nights ago.

The public installation of the officers of Pleasanton lodge No. 255, I. O. O. F., will take place tomorrow night.

LIVERMORE.

The grocery, dry goods and clothing stores now close at 8 o'clock every evening.

The Herald, closing its reference to the question of dividing the county of Alameda, says:

"This is not a new idea in Oakland, for about a year ago the City Council of that city passed the following resolution:

"'Resolved, by the City Council of Oakland, that the best interests of this community and adjacent communities will be subserved by the creation of a city and county of Oakland, to be composed of Alameda, Brooklyn and Oakland townships, and such other territory as it may be deemed advisable to include therewith, and that, to promote this undertaking, we favor the division of Alameda county at the earliest opportunity.'

"It is not improbable that this plan of the Oakland citizens may be carried out and the county seat of Alameda county be changed as the result of it."

The Herald is preparing a midwinter edition which will appear not later than the 15th inst. The latest number of the paper appears in a new dress, which is a perfect fit.

MT. EDEN.

The residence of Mr. Henry Droste came near being destroyed by fire Christmas by the smoke house taking fire. The neighbors, however, tore down the fence and by hard work saved the property.

Joseph Barron, H. Christensen and Martin Anderson have moved into new homes.

There will be more adobe land cultivated this year than for a number of seasons.

AMERICA'S TURN.

The Sultan of Turkey Will Be Quickly Called to Time.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—A special from Washington says:

It is no longer denied that the big armored cruiser New York and probably two other vessels in Admiral Bunce's squadron, if not the entire fleet now lying in readiness in Hampton Roads, has been ordered to be in readiness for a voyage to Gibralter in case the Turkish government does not promptly acquiesce in Minister Terrell's peremptory demands for immediate and full reparation for the destruction to American property and the injury to American citizens by Turkish subjects.

In any event it is understood that the cruiser New York may leave for the Mediterranean any moment, the departure of other vessels depending on the contingency of the Turkish attitude undergoing a material change.

Christmas—Guitars, $5, at Clark Wise & Co's, 1108 Broadway.

A SCHOOL WAR.

Trustee Meininger of Mt. Eden and Principal Rowland at Outs.

Trustee Meininger of the Mount Eden school district has been charged as being a party to a conspiracy to deprive W. E. Rowlands of the position of principal in the school of that place. Mr. Meininger prints a card in the Haywards Journal, in which he warmly refers to the charge and undertakes to "expose one whose gratitude for my leniency might have been at least one lonely virtue."

"The facts in the case," writes the director, "clearly demonstrate that my compliance to duty was the only cause for the assault upon me by him. The facts in the case are simply these, and the citizens of Mt. Eden will bear me out, that Mr. Rowlands fought me and did his best to defeat me at the last June election for School Trustee. Had he been friendly, with no cause, and as he was at the same time a guest at my house, would he have opposed me? He caused it to appear in the papers that my opposition to him as principal was in consequence of his leaving my house as a boarder. In the very nature of things this claim is erroneous, for Rowlands was still boarding at my house, and continued there, not only to the end of his term, but until two weeks after the close of the term. The truth of the whole matter is that early last spring, and before the election, I discovered that he was derelict in many respects in his duty, that he spent much of his time loitering about saloons, and I told him plainly that he would have to attend more strictly to his business. He requested me to raise his salary $10 a month, which I refused. All this is why he attempted to defeat me in the said election. Further investigation of the case developed the fact that Mr. Rowlands was in the habit of opening the envelope containing the questions submitted by the County Board of Education several days prior to the date set. During last term, when the County Board of Education had set a certain Monday for the examination and for the breaking of the seal of the envelope containing the questions, Mr. Rowlands broke the seal the week before and had the school begin examination and had the pupils date their papers ahead. This is a well known fact, which he attempted to deny on several occasions, but which he was forced to admit to the County Board of Education, before whom he was ordered for investigation. The result was that the board refused to promote his classes for this and other well founded reasons."

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A. P. A'S. TO ENTERTAIN.

A Novel Programme for This Evening at Hamilton Hall.

There is to be a unique programme at Hamilton Hall tonight when Council 17, A. P. A. and Council 23 W. A. P. A. will join forces. The union will be in the form of a wedding. Two members, one from each council to be joined in sham wedlock. Rev. B. Huddelson, State president A. P. A., will perform the ceremony, but the names of the contracting parties are kept secret.

The officers of the council will be publicly installed. This is the first public installation of A. P. A. officers and attaches much interest to the event. This with the novel wedding and the following excellent programme will insure a full attendance this evening:

Piano solo, selected, Miss Laura Moore; vocal solo, "Gaily Chant the Summer Birds," (De Pinna,) Mrs. Carrie Brown Dexter; recitation, "The Gambler's Wife," Miss Davetta Manning; The Ideal Mandolin Club, selections, Messrs. L. McCullough, William Fox, Harry Fox, and Louis Swasey; cornet, Miss Shipley; recitation, "The Strategy of Miss Bolton Jr.," (J. C. Bunner), Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder; club swinging, Harry Gelder; song, with guitar accompaniment, William Durant; trombone solo, selected, Mr. Charles Parrill; bass solo, selected, George H. Carlton; wedding, Rev. B. F. Huddleson, officiating, of Council No. 17 to Council No. 23, installation of officers of Council No. 17, A. P. A., and No. 23, W. A. P. A.; recitation, (a) "The American Flag," (by Drake), (b) scene from "Romeo and Juliet, (Shakespeare), Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder; tenor solo, "My Native Land," (Von Suppe), Alfred Wilkie; mandolin and guitar, selected, Paul Daniels and Mark Armstrong; young ladies' string quartette, Misses Charlotte Gruenhagen, Mabel Crabtree, May Barrington and Annie Barrington; contralto solo, "Old Glory," Mrs. Blake Alverson; recitation, "The Day of Judgment" (Eliza Stuart Phelps), Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder; song, "The A. P. A.'s Are Coming," Mrs. Blake Alverson, accompanist, H. O. Hunt.

Nettie Laymance, leading milliner, 955 Broadway.

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A Popular Company.

The People's Express, the headquarters of which are on Ninth street, between Broadway and Franklin streets, is now doing an immense business. It always has a large number of wagons busy, but the approach of the holidays gives the company nearly twice its ordinary patronage. This year the increase is in excess of that of any preceding year, but the People's Express Company is always equal to the emergency. The People's Express is the people's favorite because it is always prompt and reliable, and its terms are most reasonable.

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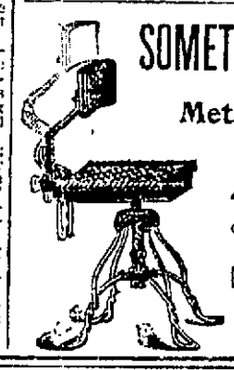
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To reduce stock and keep business booming, we offer many different lines at special prices. This plan will prevail throughout the month. Bear in mind the fact, we do not confine our specials to odds and ends and out of season goods. Nothing is too good for us to offer you at special prices. Keep posted on our doings this month and it will not be our fault if you don't get some genuine bargains.

HERE ARE SOME, THERE ARE OTHERS.

Just to start the ball a rolling, we quote a few items for this week:

Corsets

Black and Drab. Our regular 75c grades, and they're good at that price..... 50c

Special till Saturday.

Sterling Silver

Mounted Pocket Books, Made for Cards and Coin. They look like a dollar book. This price till Saturday 40c

Kid Gloves at 50c

Two Grand Specials. Good for double the money. First special—A Mousquetaire Glove in tans and red browns. Second special—4 (large) button Gloves in black and pearls, with black stitching. Till Saturday night or till sold, 50c.

Infants' Mittens at 15c and 10c

White Woolen, warm and good.

Ladies' Skirt Specials

Black Dresden Figured, Moreen at $1.00. A handsome, well wearing Skirt, formerly $1.50.

Black Sateen, English Embroidery in colors, $1.50. Our regular $2.50 Skirt.

Children's Reefers at 50c.

A neat Jacket in Navy, Garnet and Tan, sizes 4, 6 and 8, were $1.00 and $1.25.

Children's Colored Cloaks

Every one in the house marked special. New prices run from 50c to $5.25. There are too many of them to quote prices on.

Traveling Bags

The finer grades being closed out at special prices.

Winter Underwear, 25c, 50c.

Ladies' Vests, camel's hair color, quite heavy, 25c.

Ladies' Vests, natural wool, mixed soft and good, 50c.

Children's Hosiery, 10c, 15c.

Narrow ribbed, fast black, sizes 5 to 8 in., at 10c. These are without seams and will wear well.

At 15c a pair, as good as you ever bought for 25c, Children's Seamless Fast Black Stockings, double knees, heels and toes, 6 to 9½ in.

Ladies' Over Gaiters

Or 7-Button Leggins, made of good cloth, this week at 20c a pair.

Muslin Underwear Samples

Gowns and Skirts. Grades worth from $2 to $10 regular, now $1.10 to $6.25 per garment. These are the very finest goods shown.

Embroideries

Every yard of embroidery in the house at a special price.

Veilings—Extra Special

For this week, all 25c Veilings for 15c, all 50c Veilings for 30c. All new and choice styles.

Silk Specials

20-in. China Silk, all colors, at 20c a yard.

22-in. Drapery Silk, many designs, at 40c a yard.

Yarn Slippers at 50c

With warm wool soles; not many left, so come early.

Silk Fringe at 5c a yard

Suitable for fancy work—Tidies, Mantle Drapes, etc., etc. Assorted colors

WHAT THEY SAY.

Some Words of Encouragement From Persons Whose Experience Is Valuable.

"Indigestion is the curse of this country," says a New York medical journal in a recent editorial. "Both men and women suffer from this distressing complaint and it causes a tremendous amount of misery."

This is all very true but there is no reason why any man or woman should suffer from indigestion when there is a ready means of preventing it. Thousands of people have discovered a sure cure for this much dreaded complaint and some of them have given the public the benefit of their experience.

Mrs. E. Tarlton, 347 Park avenue, Cincinnati, says: "I had dyspepsia for fifteen years and was entirely cured by taking Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. I had tried almost everything and know that this whiskey cures where all others fail. I am advising all my friends to use it."

W. F. Anderson, 617 West Indiana street, Chicago, says: "I used Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for indigestion and dyspepsia. My stomach is now in better condition than it has been for years past. Seven of my friends are using it with the same results."

These are only two cases selected from thousands of others but they are sufficient to prove that dyspepsia and indigestion can be always avoided by the regular use of Duffy's Pure Malt. It will not only keep the digestive organs in perfect condition but give tone and energy to every part of the body. There is no other whiskey like it; nothing else that can take its place. Therefore, make sure that you get no inferior imitation when purchasing from your grocer or druggist.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Benedicts' and Bachelors' Cotillon Club will not take place Wednesday evening on account of the death of J. W. Coleman. Miss Jessie Coleman was to have led.

Mrs. A. M. Meredith, who recently returned from an extended visit to New York, has gone to St. Helena, where she will spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. McKender.

Miss Owens of this city is visiting with Miss Georgie Smith of Stockton.

Miss Corliss is the guest of Miss Mae Baker of Stockton.

Mrs. Belle McCallum has returned to town, after a week's visit to Stockton.

Miss Carrie Beas arrived in Oakland today from Santa Cruz.

Misses Lena and Louise Merk have returned to their home in St. Helena after a pleasant visit in this city.

Miss Nellie Lynch returned from Redding Sunday to resume her duties as teacher in the Oakland school department.

J. B. Treadwell is in San Diego at the Brewster.

Albert Bader, who recently moved to this city from San Andreas, spent a few days of last week in Los Angeles.

Judge Sawyer has been visiting Alex Gordon at San Mateo. The two men were mining partners forty years ago.

Orrin Gowell, the well-known mining man of this section, is in Nevada City on mining business.

Conductor Eugene Merrill is the guest of his brother-in-law, Joseph Thompson, assistant superintendent of the Southern Pacific Company.

Miss Bertha Hall, recently a resident of Oakland, has returned to her old home in Stockton, where she will teach in the young ladies' seminary.

Mrs. Fred Pollard has returned to her home in Stockton after sending a few days in town.

W. D. Chamberlain is visiting in Santa Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheriff Veale of Contra Costa paid Oakland a short visit last week.

Professor J. E. Hayman, who with his wife attended the teachers' convention, left this morning for his home in Colusa.

Judge and Mrs. J. M. Gregory of Solano gave a party in honor of the Misses Craven of this city and C. Dole of Stanford at their Solano residence on Thursday evening of this week.

Miss Pearl Morgan of San Leandro is in town visiting friends.

Rev. Edwards Davis entertained the ministers of the Christian churches of Oakland and vicinity at his home on Fruitvale Heights yesterday at noon. This is the initial meeting of the Christian ministers for theological discussion and it proved a great success. Luncheon was served at noon which temporarily stopped the learned talk. Among those present were: Dr. W. C. Gardner and Rev. E. M. Campbell of San Francisco, Rector Henry V. Morgan of Alameda, Professor A. M. Elston of Berkeley, Evangelist S. M. Martin and Everson W. Mathews.

The young men of the First M. E. church gave a "Cafe Bachelor" lunch to their young lady friends on New Year's day. In the afternoon a comic programme was rendered and in the evening a musical and literary entertainment was given. The supper which was served was cooked by the boys, and the way it disappeared spoke well for the young men as cooks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Daniels have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter Madeline to Charles Henry Starkweather. The wedding will take place at St. John's church, corner Eighth and Jefferson streets, on Sunday, January 12th, at high noon. After February 20th the happy couple will be at home on Wednesdays at 950 Twenty-eighth street.

Mills College opens again tomorrow.

Miss Mary Cook gave a lunch party Saturday at her home in East Oakland. The decorations for rooms and tables were red, presenting a very pretty appearance. Miss Cook's invited guests were Mrs. G. Lowell, Mrs. Crist, Mrs. W. Davis, Mrs. W. Street, Mrs. C. Riggs, Miss Alice Parson, Miss Sophie Green, Miss Annie Rogers, Miss Bertha Tum Suden, Miss Sophie Crist, Miss Annie McMinnamen, Miss Mary Metzgar, Miss Elsie Dorch, Miss Rhoda Hayes, Miss Andry Davis, Miss Annie Hayes, Miss Reed, Miss Tillie Dorch and Miss May Green.

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Public Administrator's Report.

TO THE HONORABLE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA: W. H. Knight, Public Administrator of said county respectfully makes this return of all estates of decedents which has come into his hands for the term commencing July 1, 1895, and ending January 1, 1896, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1736, Code of Civil Procedure of California.

Number of Estate.	Date of Issuance. 1895	NAME OF DECEDENT.	Approximate Value of Estate as Far as Ascertained.	Money Which Has Come Into the Hands of the Public Administrator.	Fees, Expenses, Funeral Expenses, Debts, Family Allowances, Paid by the Public Administrator.	Balance of Money on Hand.	Administration Fees Paid.	Remarks.
4327	May 13.	T. J. Walsh						
4397	July 8.	Elizabeth L. Cook						In litigation.
4371	July 17.	Francis K. Hoag	$ 150 00	$ 3 70	$ 3 70			In litigation.
4382	July 23.	Jane Williams	1,349 08	119 08	120 00	$ 20 08	$50 00	
4319	July 31.	William P. Clark	2,250 89					
4351	Aug. 6	Catherine Mann	2,961 60					
4105	Aug. 12.	Andrew Gram	1,161 30	1,161 30	478 97	683 33	78 00	All real estate.
4411	Aug. 20.	John Keller	1,210 90	1,210 90	180 51	1,030 39		
4413	Aug. 28.	William H. Scott						
4153	Sep. 3.	George M. Francis	28,019 56	1,545 17	513 72	981 45		
4134	Sep. 3.	John Curry Spiral						
4123	Sep. 16.	Frank W. Cannift	500 00					Undetermined interest in residue of estate.
4300	Sep. 16.	Louisa K. Gwynn	226 80	26 80		6 80		In litigation.
4443	Sep. 30.	Gustav Johnson						
4147	Oct. 8.	William F. Cashman						Contest pending.
4476	Oct. 8.	Frank N. Fischer, special						
4476	Oct. 21.	Frank N. Fischer	10,000 00	5,811 38	2,977 75	2,863 63		
4473	Nov. 4.	John F. Herrick						
4477	Nov. 11.	N. J. Connelly						Letters issued for litigation.
4480	Nov. 11.	George W. Taft						In litigation.
4498	Nov. 12.	F. G. Gallagher						Contest pending.
4499	Nov. 12.	F. G. Gallagher						In litigation.
4508	Nov. 12.	John Brady						In litigation.
4507	Nov. 18.	Dina G. Sulks						In litigation.
4499	Dec. 2.	Augusta Hartvie	2,655 25	2,655 25		2,655 25		
4529	Dec. 9.	W. H. Lewis	400 00					
4539	Dec. 16.	Andrew Patterson	214 50	64 50		64 50		
4540	Dec. 16.	James McKeonn						
4542	Dec. 16.	A. J. Alver						Undivided interests in real estate.
4551	Dec. 30.	Sarah J. Duffy						Not yet received.
		Total						Character of estate undetermined.
			$55,838 88	$12,658 08	$ 4,352 78	$ 8,305 30		In litigation.

State of California, County of Alameda. } ss.

W. H. Knight being first duly sworn according to law deposes and says that he is the Public Administrator of said Alameda County, that the foregoing is a full, true and correct return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the estates hereinbefore named; that he is not and was not at any time interested in the expenditure of any kind made on account of any estate he administers nor is he associated in business or otherwise with any one who is so interested.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, A. D. 1896.

W. H. KNIGHT.

(Seal.)

F. J. WOODWARD, Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda.

UNDER A NEW FLAG.

Berkeley's Lighting Franchise Goes to the Oakland Company.

BRITTON IS NOW PRESIDENT.

The Town Will Reap Material Benefits by the Change.

POLITICIANS ON THE ALERT.

The Postmastership the Plum They Are Eagerly Seeking.

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—At last the deal has been completed whereby the old management of the Berkeley Electric Light Company gives up its power and offices and the syndicate that is backing J. J. Mason came into control of the Board of Directors of the Berkeley company. Yesterday Mr. Mason succeeded in securing the entire 1060 shares of stock belonging to W. E. Sell. This gave his faction control of the company since they will own by this last sale 5,700 shares of the total 10,000 shares of stock. Altogether this is a big deal and means a great deal to the future of Berkeley.

The Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company which now comes into possession of the Berkeley plant and franchise at once proceeded to demonstrate their strength by the election of a new Board of Directors at a meeting held last evening.

Only one of the old directors, Anson S. Blake, vice president of the company, remains on the new board. W. E. Sells, the former president of the company, gives place to John A. Britton, the present secretary of the Oakland Light & Heat Works. The old Board which consists of W. E. Sell, Anson S. Blake, Theo. Wagner, C. S. Judson and J. George Gardiner, is replaced by John W. Coleman, John A. Britton, A. P. Eastland, Anson S. Blake and J. J. Mason.

At present the stock of the Berkeley company is not worth much, owing to the small population of the town, but the franchise is a valuable one, for the future as it gives a complete monopoly of the town in the lighting business. Thus the Oakland, Gas, Light and Heat Company will control the lighting of all the proposed greater Oakland and it is probably with this idea in mind that the change has been made in ownership.

THE POSTMASTER FIGHT.

There is great agitation just at present over the postmastership. The present occupant of the office, James McCarthy, thinks he has filled the position very satisfactorily and a long petition to President Cleveland asking that he be retained is strong evidence of his popularity. There are numerous candidates though, also seeking the plum. Among these are Thomas Landregan and Charley Keene.

Mr. Vincent who was in the race at the start, sailing under the colors of the Fitzgerald Democracy, has made overtures so it is said, to the anti-Landregan faction. Thus the fight goes merrily on. Every Berkeley citizen is buttonholed to sign some or all the petitions to his excellency, the Democratic president, and is then allowed to depart to his home in peace.

What has caused such an unusual bestirring for the Berkeley postmastership is the possibility of the new scheme of postoffice consolidation making the occupancy of the Berkeley office a permanent position under civil service rules. For it has been recommended to the postmaster general to consolidate all small offices like Berkeley under one head such as the postmaster of Oakland. He will be appointed by the president as is now done for a term of years, but the postmasters of the smaller offices will be in the nature of assistants appointed under civil service rules and examinations and will hold office by virtue of continued competency and good behavior. This is why the Berkeley men are scrambling for an office that they expect to hold for life if they can only get hold of it at this time.

"One thing however is forgotten in this fight," said a prominent citizen, "and that is that Berkeley will grow out of any swaddling clothes which Oakland may try to put her in. This too will happen long before any of the present applicants have a chance to get to be permanent fixtures in office. Then we shall demand an independent office."

THE CRESCENT CLUB.

The Crescent Athletic Club is the crack organization of Berkeley. Last night the annual election took place. A week ago nominations were made for the different offices and among them were: President, W. H. Waste; vice president, C. L. Taber and S. H. Metcalf; treasurer, F. W. Foss and F. W. McClain; recording secretary, Walter A. Gompertz; financial secretary, W. H. Bone; leader, T. Huson, George L. Wilcox, F. Strauss; field captain, C. T. Brehm and F. Armstrong; cycle captain, Otto Putzker, H. Price and F. W. Wilkens; four directors to be elected, C. Mikkelsen, W. R. Stamper, H. Hume, J. C. Anthony, F. Thompson, A. B. Quackenbush, C. Klein.

After W. H. Waste had withdrawn his name from nomination for the presidency of the club, H. D. Kelsey was elected by acclamation. The following is the list of elected officers: President, H. D. Kelsey; vice president, W. A. Gompertz; treasurer, Frank McClain; financial secretary, W. H. Bone; field captain, George Wilcox; and cycle captain, F. E. Wilkins. The Board of Directors is composed of Mikkelsen, Anthony Thompson and Quackenbush.

SCHOOL SUBJECTS.

The Board of Education met last evening and transacted an unusually large amount of business, most of which, however, consisted of ordering unpaid bills paid. As the new term opened yesterday the school department will from now on be very busy. There is an increase in the number of scholars amounting to fully sixty. East Berkeley contributes 37 new pupils; West Berkeley, 12; and Lorin 11. This shows a good growth and indicates that the advocates for school bonds are not too early in the field.

GENERAL GLEANINGS.

Percy Benson, the great Berkeley quarterback and captain of the 'Varsity for 1893 and 1894, has returned to Berkeley for a short time. While up north this season he coached an Oregon team that was able to beat a similar one coached by Captain Downing of Stanford and also the team that the celebrated Buck Morse of college fame, had under his instruction.

Professor Peget entertained a number of San Francisco friends at dinner yesterday at his beautiful home on Dwight Way. Regent Reinstein was the guest of honor.

A new canning company has recently been incorporated by Berkeley men with a capital amounting to a million dollars. The stockholders are Joseph Hume, Joseph Hume Jr., Philip Mills, and S. H. Wakeman. The new corporation is to be known as the Hume Canning Co.

Installing officer W. H. Waste administered the installation ceremonies of the Woodmen of the World to Court No. 94 in Oakland last evening.

The electric light subscription for the University grounds has reached $630. Today Mr. J. L. Scotchler is making a thorough canvass for funds.

James Donovan paid a fine of $10 yesterday in Judge James' court for brutally assaulting Poundmaster Lauterbach.

Court Ocean View, Order of Foresters, installs officers Thursday evening at West Berkeley.

The Directors of the Associated Charities meet tonight at the residence of F. K. Shattuck.

Boone's Academy opened yesterday with a full attendance.

Nettie Laymance, leading milliner, 955 Broadway.

BELMONT--VANDERBILT.

Society Expectant Over the News of the Approaching Marriage.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A local paper says: The marriage of Oliver H. P. Belmont and Mrs. Alva Vanderbilt will be celebrated at the residence of the latter on January 20th. On January 23th they will sail for Europe.

Such was the information given last night by one who is on the closest terms with Mrs. Vanderbilt. This person stated that the utmost secrecy was to be observed regarding the affair and that without doubt the ceremony would be witnessed by only a few persons. It has not been decided who will officiate. The exact time of it is also to be decided.

William K. Vanderbilt will sail today on his yacht Valiant for an extended cruise. Those who will go with him are Fred Beach, Winnie Hoyt, Louis Webb, and possibly Creighton Webb.

A Bad Week.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports 24 failures for the Pacific Coast States and Territories for the week ending Saturday, as compared with 15 for the previous week and 16 for the corresponding week of 1895. The failures were: Three general stores, 1 shingle mill, 2 cigar stores, 2 restaurants, 1 tea company, 1 wine and liquor company, 1 Japanese goods, 2 jewelers, 1 millinery, 1 pickle manfacturer, 1 drugs, 1 manufacturer of boxes, 1 men's furnishing, 1 grocer, 1 dry goods, 1 blacksmith.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

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Most Perfect Made. 40 Years the Standard.

CRISP COUNTY CULLINGS.

News and Gossip About the Doings in Interior Towns.

General Conditions of Progress Are Noted Throughout the Community.

The latest happenings throughout the county are as follows:

SUNOL.

A few days ago Mrs. George Nusbaumer forgot her pocketbook in the station at Sunol when waiting for the train for Oakland. She rode as far as Niles and then took the train back to Sunol, only to find that the pocketbook had disappeared. It was noticed, however, that two strange men had been seen hanging around the station and it was supposed that they had found the pocketbook. They were traced on the road to Pleasanton and Constable Lyster of that place was telephoned to apprehend them. The constable succeeded in finding the men, and one of them, on being searched, was found to be in possession of the missing article. As they claimed to have found the pocketbook they were allowed to go free.

PLEASANTON.

The postmaster issued 131 money orders during the last month.

The preliminary examination of John Bernal for the shooting of Richard Foley, will take place on Saturday next.

The masquerade ball given on New Year's eve by the proprietors of the Rose hotel was a big success.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmussen gave a pleasant party at their residence, two miles north of town, a few nights ago.

The public installation of the officers of Pleasanton lodge No. 255, I. O. O. F., will take place tomorrow night.

LIVERMORE.

The grocery, dry goods and clothing stores now close at 8 o'clock every evening.

The Herald, closing its reference to the question of dividing the county of Alameda, says:

"This is not a new idea in Oakland, for about a year ago the City Council of that city passed the following resolution:

"'Resolved, by the City Council of Oakland, that the best interests of this community and adjacent communities will be subserved by the creation of a city and county of Oakland, to be composed of Alameda, Brooklyn and Oakland townships, and such other territory as it may be deemed advisable to include therewith, and that, to promote this undertaking, we favor the division of Alameda county at the earliest opportunity.'

"It is not improbable that this plan of the Oakland citizens may be carried out and the county seat of Alameda county be changed as the result of it."

The Herald is preparing a midwinter edition which will appear not later than the 15th inst. The latest number of the paper appears in a new dress, which is a perfect fit.

MT. EDEN.

The residence of Mr. Henry Droste came near being destroyed by fire Christmas by the smoke house taking fire. The neighbors, however, tore down the fence and by hard work saved the property.

Joseph Barron, H. Christensen and Martin Anderson have moved into new homes.

There will be more adobe land cultivated this year than for a number of seasons.

AMERICA'S TURN.

The Sultan of Turkey Will Be Quickly Called to Time.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—A special from Washington says:

It is no longer denied that the big armored cruiser New York and probably two other vessels in Admiral Bunce's squadron, if not the entire fleet now lying in readiness in Hampton Roads, has been ordered to be in readiness for a voyage to Gibraltar in case the Turkish government does not promptly acquiesce in Minister Terrell's peremptory demands for immediate and full reparation for the destruction to American property and the injury to American citizens by Turkish subjects.

In any event it is understood that the cruiser New York may leave for the Mediterranean any moment, the departure of other vessels depending on the contingency of the Turkish attitude undergoing a material change.

Christmas—Guitars, $5, at Clark Wise & Co's, 1108 Broadway.

A SCHOOL WAR.

Trustee Meininger of Mt. Eden and Principal Rowland at Outs.

Trustee Meininger of the Mount Eden school district has been charged as being a party to a conspiracy to deprive W. E. Rowlands of the position of principal in the school of that place. Mr. Meininger prints a card in the Haywards Journal, in which he warmly refers to the charge and undertakes to "expose one whose gratitude for my leniency might have been at least one lonely virtue."

"The facts in the case," writes the director, "clearly demonstrate that my compliance to duty was the only cause for the assault upon me by him. The facts in the case are simply these, and the citizens of Mt. Eden will bear me out, that Mr. Rowlands fought me and did his best to defeat me at the last June election for School Trustee. Had he been friendly, with no cause, and as he was at the same time a guest at my house, would he have opposed me? He caused it to appear in the papers that my opposition to him as principal was in consequence of his leaving my house as a boarder. In the very nature of things this claim is erroneous, for Rowlands was still boarding at my house, and continued there, not only to the end of his term, but until two weeks after the close of the term. The truth of the whole matter is that early last spring, and before the election, I discovered that he was derelict in many respects in his duty, that he spent much of his time loitering about saloons, and I told him plainly that he would have to attend more strictly to his business. He requested me to raise his salary $10 a month, which I refused. All this is why he attempted to defeat me in the said election. Further investigation of the case developed the fact that Mr. Rowlands was in the habit of opening the envelope containing the questions submitted by the County Board of Education several days prior to the date set. During last term, when the County Board of Education had set a certain Monday for the examination and for the breaking of the seal of the envelope containing the questions, Mr. Rowlands broke the seal the week before and had the school begin examination and had the pupils date their papers ahead. This is a well known fact, which he attempted to deny on several occasions, but which he was forced to admit to the County Board of Education, before whom he was ordered for investigation. The result was that the board refused to promote his classes for this and other well founded reasons."

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A. P. A'S. TO ENTERTAIN.

A Novel Programme for This Evening at Hamilton Hall.

There is to be a unique programme at Hamilton Hall tonight when Council 17, A. P. A. and Council 23 W. A. P. A. will join forces. The union will be in the form of a wedding. Two members, one from each council to be joined in sham wedlock, Rev. B. Huddelson, State president A. P. A., will perform the ceremony, but the names of the contracting parties are kept secret.

The officers of the council will be publicly installed. This is the first public installation of A. P. A. officers and attaches much intcrest to the event. This with the novel wedding and the following excellent programme will insure a full attendance this evening:

Piano solo, selected, Miss Laura Moore; vocal solo, "Gaily Chant the Summer Birds," (De Pinna,) Mrs. Carrie Brown Dexter; recitation, "The Gambler's Wife," Miss Davetta Manning; The Ideal Mandolin Club, selections, Messrs. L. McCullough, William Fox, Harry Fox, and Louis Swasey; cornet, Miss Shipley; recitation, "The Strategy of Miss Bolton Jr.," (H. C. Bunner), Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder; club swinging, Harry Gelder; song, with guitar accompaniment, William Durant; trombone solo, selected, Mr. Charles Parritt; bass solo, selected, George H. Carlton; wedding, Rev. B. F. Huddleson, officiating, of Council No. 17 to Council No. 23; installation of officers of Council No. 17, A. P. A., and No. 23, W. A. P. A.; recitation, (a) "The American Flag," (by Drake), (b) scene from "Romeo and Juliet, (Shakespeare), Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder; tenor solo, "My Native Land," (Von Suppe), Alfred Wilkie; mandolin and guitar, selected, Paul Daniels and Mark Armstrong; young ladies' string quartette, Misses Charlotte Gruenhagen, Mabel Crabtree, May Barrington and Annie Barrington; contralto solo, "Old Glory," Mrs. Blake Alverson; recitation, "The Day of Judgment" (Eliza Stuart Phelps), Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder; song, "The A. P. A.'s Are Coming," Mrs. Blake Alverson, accompanist, H. O. Hunt.

Nettie Laymance, leading milliner, 955 Broadway.

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See our 5c, 10c, 15c, articles. All goods sold very low at H. Schellhaas'.

A Popular Company.

The People's Express, the headquarters of which are on Ninth street, between Broadway and Franklin streets, is now doing an immense business. It always has a large number of wagons busy, but the approach of the holidays gives the company nearly twice its ordinary patronage. This year the increase is in excess of that of any preceding year, but the People's Express Company is always equal to the emergency. The People's Express is the people's favorite because it is always prompt and reliable, and its terms are most reasonable.

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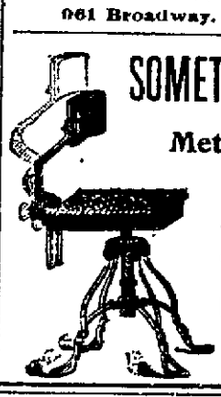
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Clever Gags, Catchy Airs and Charming Scenes in Rice's "1492."

Realistic Situations in "The Train Wreckers" at the Oakland.

The Macdonough was crowded to the doors last night with an audience which very quickly realized that Rice's "1492" was an uncommonly rare stage entertainment.

The spectacle fairly surpasses Rice's great "Evangeline." Its funny conceits are on a different line, but the burlesque is worked out to good advantage and the fun is fast and merry from beginning to end.

The impersonation of "Queen Isabella" by Richard Harlow has a reputation which preceded his appearance in Oakland. He shares with Bessie Bonehill and Rose Snow, the tramp, the honors of the performance.

The spectacular features are of course of a high order. Rice is famous for his well-trained ballets and choruses, and he has not missed the mark in "1492."

Bessie Bonehill is the cleverest woman who has ever essayed to give male impersonations on the American stage. Her songs are new, original and are handled in an inimitable manner that brings her into touch at once with her audience. Harlow as the massive Queen secured a full share of applause. As Christopher Columbus Lewis Williams made a striking character. His make-up was perfect, and a magnificent, robust voice added to his splendid presence. He was one of the few characters not burlesqued to a great extent by the author and he gave a fine rendition of the lines.

Ross Snow, the King of Spain, downtrodden and humbled by a masculine consort, was equally humorous with Ross Snow's other character, the tramp. Comedy does not deplet the humor of his acting. He was the cleverest stage tramp that has appeared in any performance at the Macdonough for many a day.

The dancing is of a splendid order and Fleurette, the famous acrobatic artist, had some startling acts to introduce. Little Willie Dunlay caught the audience at once with his sweet and sympathetic voice, which he displayed to good advantage in "Oh, Promise Me," and "The Sidewalks of New York."

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Next Saturday the celebrated Aramenti Concert Company will give a delightful programme at the Macdonough. The attractiveness of the company and the very low prices to prevail will draw a large audience. The lower floor is 50c, balcony 25c.

THE TRAIN WRECKERS.

"The Train Wreckers" was greeted with a crowded house at the Oakland theater last night. Waldron's reorganized company with Jennie Calef at its head was received very warmly, and the cast proved to be all that could be desired. The bridge explosion and the escape from prison were splendidly enacted and the stage effects were thoroughly realistic. The play is booked for a long run.

THE BALDWIN.

Marie Wainwright in the "Daughters of Eve," with a well chosen company, entertained a large audience at theh Baldwin theater last evening. The brilliant drama was an immediate success and will go a long way toward more firmly fixing the star's place as one of the great lights of the theatrical firmament.

THE CALIFORNIA.

"Virginius," portrayed by Louis James and a star company, was the attraction that drew a big house to the California last night. James was at his best and round after round of approving applause greeted his heavy scenes.

THE COLUMBIA.

The Frawley Company reopened at the Columbia last night to a packed house that cheered the return of the favorites to the echo. "Lost Paradise" is the bill this week.

THE ORPHEUM.

Many novelties in the vaudeville line keep the programme at the Orpheum fresh and popular. The audiences remain at one level—crowded houses nightly.

MOROSCO'S.

Tom Craven's melodrama, "The Fugitive," is booked for the week at Morosco's. A splendid audience was on hand and gave a strong endorsement of the presentation.

THE TIVOLI.

"Ixion" still draws full houses at the Tivoli. It appears to be one of the most popular spectacular operas ever staged at this always popular resort. Alice Carle, Tom Leary, Ferris Hartman, Gertie Carlisle and all the others in the excellent company do fine work.

THE ALCAZAR.

The Grovers presented "My Precious Baby," a farce comedy, at the Alcazar last night, and none of the preceding comedies have been so full of bright, sparkling fun. The entertainment is one of mirth, and one enjoys a hearty, wholesome laugh from beginning to end.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1896.

Harry L. Holcomb to Emily K. Latham, W Orange av 40 N from N line Latham tract W 135 S 40 E 135 N 40 to beg, ptn Blasdell tract, map No. 2; NE 24th av and Latham tract E 120 N 70 W 120.14 S 70 to beg ptn lot 1, blk 6, Blasdel tract, map 3, subj to a mtge for $600, $10.

Erik Boes to John Z. and Caroline Thomsen, lot 6, blk L, Golden Gate tract, subj to mtge, $10.

Daniel McKeirnan to Mary A. McKeirnan, lot 20, blk 117, tract B, Berkeley L. & T. I. Assn, gift.

Same to same, W 6th 201.85 S Channing Way S 50 x W 136, lots 11 and 12, blk 138 corrected may Avery tract, gift.

Joseph and Augusta Herzog to H. A. Jones, lots 5 to 10, blk 5, Herzog tract, Q. C. D., $25.

John and Sarah H. McCarthy to North Berkeley church, SW Cedar and Oxford S 71.01 W 135 N 61.55 E 136.05 to beg, lot 13, blk D, Percy tract, $100.

Edward E. and Susan A. Potter to Helen L. Nilson, lot 342, Potter tract, $560.

Julius Duerr to John Lughammer, N 5th 50 E Kirkham E 25 x N 101, lot 7, blk 491, Briggs tract, $10.

J. M. Bartlett to Jennie C. O'Neill, S Knox av 500.49 W Telegraph av S 149.64 W 40 N 153.20 E 40.18 to beg, being lot 15 Knox park, $10.

Charles F. and Mary H. Brown to Manuel Ayala, lots 2, 3, 19 and 20, blk A, V. Peralta Reservation tract; E Telegraph av 90 S Sutter 90 x E 150, blk B, same; W Vincente av 40 S Sutter S 45 x W 150, blk B, same, $10.

Joel H. Lynn to Nora Lynn, lots 6 and 7, blk B, Percy tract, gift.

A. J. and Nancy Smithson to Emilie W. Salisbury, NE Orange st 326.10 SE Orchard av NE 150 NW 51.10 SW 150 SE 51.10 to beg, lot 62, Marion tract; lots 1, 2 and 3, blk 26 Warner tract, subj to mtge for $900, $10.

Frederick and Anna C. Bammann to Berthal A. Dennis, SE Eagle av and Lafayette st E 108 x S 40, ptn lots 13 to 16, blk 47 Encinal, $10.

Luther J. and Mary E. Holton to O. E. Swain, lot 16, blk A, Bellevue tract, $10.

Francisco S. and Maria S. Rose to Joseph S. Rose, lots 12, 13 and 14, blk A, Dabners addn to San Leandro, gift.

Peter H. Stubbe to Manuel D. Luiz, 2 acres com in center county road Irvington to Centerville at W cor survey No. 17, lds ex-Mission San Jose 4h NE 11.57 chs SE 2.7 chs SE 2.6 chs SW 10.59 chs NW 1.305 chs to beg, ptn said survey No. 17, $10.

Josephine Hogarty to Mary Gillardin, 40 acres beg at W cor 139.60 acre tract of Maria Higuera and on NE side road Washington corners to San Jose th NE 48.75 chs SE 8.50 chs SW 47.25 chs NW 9.60 chs to beg, ptn Ro De Agua Caliente, gift.

SELECTING CHORUS GIRLS

How the Members of the Corps de Ballet Are Chosen.

A Graceful Form, a Pretty Face and a Good Voice the Essentials.

No one has witnessed "1492," or, for that matter, any of Rice's spectacular productions, without noticing the remarkable good fortune enjoyed by that manager in regard to his people. That "Rice's chorus girls" form a distant class by themselves, and are handsomer in face and form than the generality seen elsewhere, is a fact well-known to every habitual play-goer, and not a night passes that the question is not asked a thousand times, "How does Rice manage to get hold of so many good-looking women?"

Ed. Rice has not been in the show business all these years without learning something, and if one drops in at one of these rehearsals an inkling may be obtained into his method of securing the best shaped and handsomest girls for his pieces. He is a great believer in rehearsals, and although "1492" has become a permanent attraction he is constantly adding to it new features which entail fresh rehearsals. One may learn a good deal at one of these rehearsals.

Rice takes his position in the center of the stage, near the footlights, and the young women stand in the same places that they will at night. The music strikes up and they begin, their manager singing himself and waving his arms as a conductor waves a baton. At the end of the second bar he calls a halt. The music ceases and he steps forward and exclaims: "Don't have any of that tired feeling that we read about, or, at any rate, don't show it to the audience. Remember that you have to be on the stage two hours and a half every night, and during that time the entertainment must be bright and lively and full of snap and go. There is not a lady in this company who does not contribute in some way or other to the performance. If she did not she would not be drawing a salary from me. Now go on and wave those handkerchiefs as if you meant something, and not as if you were walking in your sleep."

There are usually half a dozen young women waiting just outside the stage door to apply for engagements, and at the close of the rehearsal Rice interviews them one by one.

Possessed of a remarkably quick eye for outline, and a happy knack of guessing at what is often concealed by an ill-fitting dress, he carefully surveys the applicant from head to foot, and then inquires carelessly and with his fine Cape Cob accent, "How much do you weigh, Miss Jones?" If the answer be such as to encourage his belief that the applicant is of shapely proportion, he turns her over to the wardrobe woman, and if that official's report be satisfactory, she is given over to the orchestra leader to have her voice tried.

From the stage Rice can hear her distinctly as she sings in one of the upper rooms, and sometimes while he is talking to one young woman and making a rough estimate of her charms he is listening intently to the voice of another as she gives the orchestra leader an idea of what she can do. But he does not rely wholly on the verdict of the musician and the wardrobe woman; he must see and hear the novice himself, and not until she has appeared before him in tights and warbled some of the music of the piece will he decide to engage her. Once in a while he happens upon some remarkably clever young woman in this way, but as a general thing he requires nothing more than a graceful form, winning face and musical voice for his ensemble.

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MEN OF ENTERPRISE.

What the Merchants' Exchange Proposes to Do.

Editor Tribune—Sir: In reply to an article published in the Morning Call, I wish to say that, as far as the Merchants' Exchange is concerned, there is certainly no quarrel whatever with the so-called Board of Trade of Oakland upon any proposition whatever. I do not think that there is a member of the exchange, or a merchant in Oakland, who for one moment thinks there has been any such organization for years past, excepting in the organization of less than a dozen men, who constitute president, board of directors and entire membership. Any person acquainted with Oakland will, upon reading the list of membership of that organization published by the Morning Times and distributed at the late Exposition, see at a glance that fully two-thirds have either retired from business or been dead for several years past.

Long before any Exposition was ever suggested by the citizens the exchange had felt that it should have larger quarters, suitable for their offices, a permanent exhibition of the products of Alameda county and an annual State exhibition; and to that end the board of directors, at an open meeting held on Thursday evening last, authorized W. V. Witcher, vice president of the exchange, to have articles of incorporation drawn up and presented to them at the regular meeting of the exchange on the next Tuesday evening. Whatever the exchange may do in this matter will be done with open doors and for the best interests of the business community. No attempt will be made to infringe upon the rights of any other organization or secure control of whatever profit there may have been from the late Exposition. The proposition of the exchange will in all probability be submitted to the public within a few days and a limited number of shares of stock offered for sale, for which purchasers will be asked to sign personally.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

CHRISTIAN GRONER, Plaintiff, vs. WILLIAM SACHAU, ET AL., Defendants. No. 11,185

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1895, in the above entitled action, wherein Christian Groner, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against William Sachau and Anspacher Brothers, (a corporation), defendants, on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1895, for the sum of nineteen hundred and ninety-two and 87-100 dollars, for principal, accrued interest, costs and disbursements and counsel fees, besides interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent from the date of said decree; and wherein Anspacher Brothers, (a corporation), obtained a judgment for the sum of seventeen hundred and seventy-one and 55-100 dollars, for principal, accrued interest, attorneys fees, besides interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent from the date of said decree; which said decree was, on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1895, recorded in Judgment Book 20 of said Court, at page 108, I am commanded to sell all those certain lands and premises situate, lying and being in the County of Alameda, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to wit:

The southwest quarter (¼) of Section thirty-five (35), in Township three (3), south of Range two (2), east of the Mount Diablo meridian, containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres, according to the United States surveys.

Public notice is hereby given that on

WEDNESDAY, THE 22D DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1896,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for lawful money of the United States.

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W. B. CARR, Plaintiff, vs. R. H. SWAYNE, Admr., etc., et al., Defendants. No. 10,795

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 27th day of December, A. D. 1895, in the above entitled action, wherein W. B. Carr, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against R. H. Swayne, administrator of the estate of C. A. Edson deceased, E. B. Edson, Annie M. Edson, Joseph E. Shain, Joshua Hendy Machine Works, a corporation, Electrical Engineering Company, a corporation, defendants, on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1895, for the sum of three thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight and 13-100 dollars in lawful money of the United States, besides interest and costs and expenses of sale, which said decree was, on the 21th day of December, A. D. 1895, recorded in Judgment book 19 of said Court, at page 361, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces and parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Alameda, County of Alameda, State of California and particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

First. Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Central avenue (formerly called Washington avenue) distant thereon sixty (60) feet easterly from the westerly line of the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract; and running thence southerly parallel with said line of said tract one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the shore of the Bay of San Francisco, and running thence north eighty-eight and one-half (88½) degrees east along said shore one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet, more or less, to the westerly line of lands now or formerly owned by G. H. Thompson; thence northerly parallel with said line of the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract, one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the said southerly line of said Central or Washington avenue; and thence westerly along said southerly line of said Central or Washington avenue, one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet, more or less, to the point of commencement, being a portion of said Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract.

Second. Commencing at a point on the shore line of San Francisco Bay at ordinary high tide, distant four (4) chains and ninety (90) links south and nine (9) chains and sixty (60) links east of a granite monument set at the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of section eleven (11), township two (2) south, range four (4) west, Mount Diablo base and meridian, and running thence according to the true meridian, across tide lands south five (5) chains and ten (10) links; thence east four (4) chains and thirty-one (31) links; thence north four (4) chains and sixty-five (65) links to a post marked 288 on the shore line of San Francisco bay; thence along said shore line north seventy-one (71) degrees west, one (1) chain and sixty (60) links to a post marked 289; thence south eighty-eight and one-half (88½) degrees west two (2) chains and eighty (80) links to a post marked 290, the place of beginning. Being a tract of tide lands in San Francisco Bay designated as part of lot No. 21, and part of lot No. 23, in section (11) of said township two (2); containing two and seventeen-hundredths (2 17-100) acres, according to a certain map entitled "Map No. 2, of Salt Marsh and Tide Lands, situated in the County of Alameda, State of California."

Third. Commencing at a point in the line dividing the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract from the Chipman west one hundred and eleven acre tract, distant one hundred (100) feet southerly from the south line of Central avenue (formerly called Washington avenue) and running thence southerly along said dividing line one hundred and sixty-six (166) feet and eight (8) inches to the patent line of the Antonio Maria Peralta Rancho; thence west along said patent line thirty (30) feet; thence north parallel with said dividing line one hundred and sixty-six (166) feet and eight (8) inches; and thence at right angles easterly thirty (30) feet to the point of commencement.

Fourth. Commencing at a point on the dividing line between the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract and the Chipman 111 acre tract, distant one hundred and twenty (120) feet south of Central avenue (formerly called Washington avenue), and running thence south one (1) degree and thirty-five (35) minutes west thirty (30) feet; thence easterly parallel with said Central avenue sixty (60) feet; thence north one (1) degree and thirty-five (35) minutes east thirty (30) feet; and thence westerly parallel with said Central avenue sixty (60) feet to the point of commencement.

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

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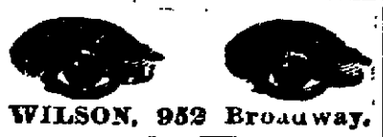
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Oakland, December 28, 1895.

W. S. HARLOW,
A commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

Whitworth & Shurtleff, attorneys for plaintiff, No. 120 Sutter street, San Francisco.



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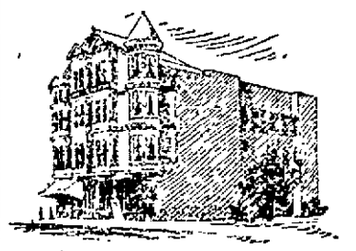
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Realistic Situations in "The Train Wreckers" at the Oakland.

The Macdonough was crowded to the doors last night with an audience which very quickly realized that Rice's "1492" was an uncommonly rare stage entertainment.

The spectacle fairly surpasses Rice's great "Evangeline." Its funny conceits are on a different line, but the burlesque is worked out to good advantage and the fun is fast and merry from beginning to end.

The impersonation of "Queen Isabella" by Richard Harlow has a reputation which preceded his appearance in Oakland. He shares with Bessie Bonehill and Ross Snow, the tramp, the honors of the performance.

The spectacular features are of course of a high order. Rice is famous for his well-trained ballets and choruses, and he has not missed the mark in "1492."

Bessie Bonehill is the cleverest woman who has ever essayed to give male impersonations on the American stage. Her songs are new, original and are handled in an inimitable manner that brings her into touch at once with her audience. Harlow as the massive Queen secured a full share of applause. As Christopher Columbus Lewis Williams made a striking character. His make-up was perfect, and a magnificent, robust voice added to his splendid presence. He was one of the few characters not burlesqued to a great extent by the actor and he gave a fine rendition of the lines.

Ross Snow, the King of Spain, downtrodden and humbled by a masculine consort, was equally humorous with Ross Snow's other character, the tramp. Comedy does not depict the humor of his acting. He was the cleverest stage tramp that has appeared in any performance at the Macdonough for many a day.

The dancing is of a splendid order and Fleurette, the famous aerobatic artist, had some startling acts to introduce. Little Willie Dunlay caught the audience at once with his sweet and sympathetic voice, which he displayed to good advantage in "Oh, Promise Me," and "The Sidewalks of New York."

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Next Saturday the celebrated Aramenti Concert Company will give a delightful programme at the Macdonough. The attractiveness of the company and the very low prices to prevail will draw a large audience. The lower floor is 50c, balcony 25c.

THE TRAIN WRECKERS.

"The Train Wreckers" was greeted with a crowded house at the Oakland theater last night. Waldron's reorganized company with Jennie Calef at its head was received very warmly, and the cast proved to be all that could be desired. The bridge explosion and the escape from prison were splendidly enacted and the stage effects were thoroughly realistic. The play is booked for a long run.

THE BALDWIN

Marie Wainwright in the "Daughters of Eve," with a well chosen company, entertained a large audience at the Baldwin theater last evening. The brilliant drama was an immediate success and will go a long way toward more firmly fixing the star's place as one of the great lights of the theatrical firmament.

THE CALIFORNIA.

"Virginius," portrayed by Louis James and a star company, was the attraction that drew a big house to the California last night. James was at his best and round after round of approving applause greeted his heavy scenes.

THE COLUMBIA.

The Frawley Company reopened at the Columbia last night to a packed house that cheered the return of the favorites to the echo. "Lost Paradise" is the bill this week.

THE ORPHEUM.

Many novelties in the vaudeville line keep the programme at the Orpheum fresh and popular. The audiences remain at one level—crowded houses nightly.

MOROSCO'S.

Tom Craven's melodrama, "The Fugitive," is booked for the week at Morosco's. A splendid audience was on hand and gave a strong endorsement of the presentation.

THE TIVOLI.

"Ixion" still draws full houses at the Tivoli. It appears to be one of the most popular spectacular operas ever staged at this always popular resort. Alice Carle, Tom Leary, Ferris Hartman, Gertie Carlisle and all the others in the excellent company do fine work.

THE ALCAZAR.

The Grovers presented "My Precious Baby," a farce comedy, at the Alcazar last night, and none of the preceding comedies have been so full of bright, sparkling fun. The entertainment is one of mirth, and one enjoys a hearty, wholesome laugh from beginning to end.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1896.

Harry L. Holcomb to Emily K. Latham, W Orange av 40 N from N line Latham tract W 135 S 40 E 135 N 40 to beg, ptn Blasdell tract, map No. 2; NE 24th av and Latham tract E 120 N 70 W 120.14 S 70 to beg ptn lot 1, blk 6, Blasdel tract, map 3, subj to a mtge for $600, $10.

Erik Boes to John Z. and Caroline Thomsen, lot 6, blk L, Golden Gate tract, subj to mtge, $10.

Daniel McKelrnan to Mary A. McKelrnan, lot 20 blk 117, tract B, Berkeley L. & T. I. Assn, gift.

Same to same, W 6th 201.85 S Channing Way S 30 x W 136, lots 11 and 12, blk 138 corrected map Avery tract, gift.

Joseph and Augusta Herzog to H. A. Jones, lots 5 to 10, blk 5, Herzog tract, Q. C. D., $25.

John and Sarah H. McCarthy to North Berkeley church, SW Cedar and Oxford S 71.01 W 136 N 61.55 E 136.05 to beg, lot 13, blk D, Percy tract, $100.

Edward E. and Susan A. Potter to Helen L. Nilson, lot 342, Potter tract, $560.

Julius Duerr to John Lughammer, N 5th 50 E Kirkham E 25 x N 101, lot 7, blk 491, Briggs tract, $10.

J. M. Bartlett to Jennie C. O'Neill, S Knox av 500.45 W Telegraph av S 149.64 W 10 N 153.20 E 40.18 to beg, being lot 15 Knox park, $10.

Charles F. and Mary H. Brown to Manuel Ayala, lots 2, 3, 19 and 20, blk A, V. Peralta Reservation tract, E Telegraph av 90 S Sutter 90 x E 150, blk B, same; W Vincente av 90 S Sutter S 45 x W 150, blk B, same, $10.

Joel H. Lynn to Nora Lynn, lots 6 and 7, blk B, Percy tract, gift.

A. J. and Nancy Smithson to Emilie W. Salisbury, NE Orange st 326.10 SE Orchard av NE 150 NW 50.10 SW 150 SE 51.10 to beg, lot 62, Marion tract; lots 1, 2 and 3, blk 28 Warner tract subj to mtge for $900, $10.

Frederick and Anna C. Baumann to Berthal A. Dennis, SE Eagle av and Lafayette st E 108 x S 40, ptn lots 13 to 16, blk 47 Encinal, $10.

Luther J. and Mary E. Holton to O. E. Swain, lot 16, blk A, Bellevue tract, $10.

Francisco S. and Maria S. Rose to Joseph S. Rose, lots 12, 13 and 14, blk A, Dabners addn to San Leandro, gift.

Peter H. Stubbe to Manuel D. Luiz, 2 acres com in center county road Irvington to Centerville at W cor survey No. 17, Ids ex-Mission, San Jose th NE 11.57 chs SE 2.7 chs SE 2.6 chs SW 10.50 chs NW 1.305 chs to beg, ptn said survey No. 17, $10.

Josephine Hogarty to Mary Gillardin, 40 acres beg at W cor 139.80 acre tract of Maria Higuera and or, NE side road Washington corners to San Jose th NE 48.75 chs SE 8.80 chs SW 47.25 chs NW 9.60 chs to beg, ptn Rancho De Agua Caliente, gift.

SELECTING CHORUS GIRLS

How the Members of the Corps de Ballet Are Chosen.

A Graceful Form, a Pretty Face and a Good Voice the Essentials.

No one has witnessed "1492," or, for that matter, any of Rice's spectacular productions without noticing the remarkable good fortune enjoyed by that manager in regard to his people. That "Rice's chorus girls" form a distant class by themselves and are handsomer in face and form than the generality seen elsewhere, is a fact well-known to every habitual play-goer, and not a night passes that the question is not asked a thousand times, "How does Rice manage to get hold of so many good-looking women?"

Ed. Rice has not been in the show business all these years without learning something, and if one drops in at one of these rehearsals an inkling may be obtained into his method of securing the best shaped and handsomest girls for his pieces. He is a great believer in rehearsals, and although "1492" has become a permanent attraction he is constantly adding to it new features which entail fresh rehearsals. One may learn a good deal at one of these rehearsals.

Rice takes his position in the center of the stage, near the footlights, and the young women stand in the same places that they will at night. The music strikes up and they begin, their manager singing himself and waving his arms as a conductor waves a baton. At the end of the second bar he calls a halt. The music ceases and he steps forward and exclaims: "Don't have any of that tired feeling that we read about, or, at any rate, don't show it to the audience. Remember that you have to be on the stage two hours and a half every night, and during that time the entertainment must be bright and lively and full of snap and go. There is not a lady in this company who does not contribute in some way or other to the performance. If she did not she would not be drawing a salary from me. Now go on and wave those handkerchiefs as if you meant something, and not as if you were walking in your sleep."

There are usually half a dozen young women waiting just outside the stage door to apply for engagements, and at the close of the rehearsal Rice interviews them one by one.

Possessed of a remarkably quick eye for outline, and a happy knack of guessing at what is often concealed by an ill-fitting dress, he carefully surveys the applicant from head to foot, and then inquires carelessly and with his fine Cape Cob accent, "How much do you weigh, Miss Jones?" If the answer be such as to encourage his belief that the applicant is of shapely proportion, he turns her over to the wardrobe woman, and if that official's report be satisfactory, she is given over to the orchestra leader to have her voice tried.

From the stage Rice can hear her distinctly as she sings in one of the upper rooms, and sometimes while he is talking to one young woman and making a rough estimate of her charms he is listening intently to the voice of another as she gives the orchestra leader an idea of what she can do. But he does not rely wholly on the verdict of the musician and the wardrobe woman; he must see and hear the novice himself, and not until she has appeared before him in tights and warbled some of the music of the piece will he decide to engage her. Once in a while he happens upon some remarkably clever young woman in this way, but as a general thing he requires nothing more than a graceful form, winning face and musical voice for his ensemble.

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MEN OF ENTERPRISE.

What the Merchants' Exchange Proposes to Do.

Editor Tribune—Sir: In reply to an article published in the Morning Call, I wish to say that, as far as the Merchants' Exchange is concerned, there is certainly no quarrel whatever with the so-called Board of Trade of Oakland upon any proposition whatever. I do not think that there is a member of the exchange, or a merchant in Oakland, who for one moment thinks there has been any such organization for years past, excepting in the organization of less than a dozen men, who constitute president, board of directors and entire membership. Any person acquainted with Oakland will, upon reading the list of membership of that organization published by the Morning Times and distributed at the late Exposition, see at a glance that fully two-thirds have either retired from business or been dead for several years past.

Long before any Exposition was ever suggested by the citizens the exchange had felt that it should have larger quarters, suitable for their offices, a permanent exhibition of the products of Alameda county and an annual State exhibition; and to that end the board of directors, at an open meeting held on Thursday evening last, authorized W. V. Witcher, vice president of the exchange, to have articles of incorporation drawn up and presented to them at the regular meeting of the exchange on the next Tuesday evening. Whatever the exchange may do in this matter will be done with open doors and for the best interests of the business community. No attempt will be made to infringe upon the rights of any other organization or secure control of whatever profit there may have been from the late Exposition. The proposition of the exchange will in all probability be submitted to the public within a few days and a limited number of shares of stock offered for sale, for which purchasers will be asked to sign personally.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

CHRISTIAN GRONER, Plaintiff, vs. WILLIAM SACHAU, ET AL., Defendants. No. 11,185

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1895, in the above entitled action, wherein Christian Groner, the above named plaintiff, obtained judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against William Sachau and Anspacher Brothers, (a corporation), defendants, on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1895, for the sum of nineteen hundred and ninety-two and 87-100 dollars, for principal, accrued interest, costs and disbursements and counsel fees, besides interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent from the date of said decree; and wherein Anspacher Brothers, (a corporation), obtained a judgment for the sum of seventeen hundred and seventy-one and 55-100 dollars, for principal, accrued interest, attorneys fees, besides interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent from the date of said decree; which said decree was, on the 26th day of December, A. D. 1895, recorded in Judgment Book 20 of said Court, at page 108, I am commanded to sell all those certain lands and premises situate, lying and being in the County of Alameda, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to wit:

The southwest quarter (¼) of Section thirty-five (35), in Township three (3), south of Range two (2), east of the Mount Diablo meridian, containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres, according to the United States surveys.

Public notice is hereby given that on

WEDNESDAY, THE 22D DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1896,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for lawful money of the United States.

Oakland, December 27, 1895.

W. S. HARLOW,
A commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.



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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

W. H. CARR, Plaintiff, vs. R. H. SWAYNE, Admr., etc., et al., Defendants. No. 10,705

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 27th day of December, A. D. 1895, in the above entitled action, wherein W. H. Carr, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against R. H. Swayne, administrator of the estate of C. A. Edson deceased, E. Edson, Annie M. Edson, Joseph E. Shain, Joshua Hendy Machine Works, a corporation, Fiberted Engineering Company, a corporation, defendants, on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1895, for the sum of three thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight and 13-100 dollars in lawful money of the United States, besides interest and costs and expenses of sale, which said decree was, on the 27th day of December, A. D. 1895, recorded in Judgment book 19 of said Court, at page 361, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces and parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Alameda, County of Alameda, State of California and particularly bounded and described as follows to wit:

First. Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Central avenue (formerly called Washington avenue) distant thereon sixty (60) feet easterly from the westerly line of the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract; and running thence southerly parallel with said line of said tract one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the said southerly line of said Central or Washington avenue; and thence westerly along said southerly line of said Central or Washington avenue, one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet, more or less, to the point of commencement, being a portion of said Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract.

Second. Commencing at a point on the shore line of San Francisco Bay at ordinary high tide, distant four (4) chains and ninety (90) links south and nine (9) chains and sixty (60) links east of a granite monument set at the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of section eleven (11), township two (2) south, range four (4) west, Mount Diablo base and meridian, and running thence according to the true meridian, across tide lands south five (5) chains and ten (10) links; thence east four (4) chains and thirty-one (31) links; thence north four (4) chains and sixty-five (65) links to a post marked 288 on the shore line of San Francisco bay; thence along said shore line north seventy-one (71) degrees west, one (1) chain and sixty (60) links to a post marked 289; thence south eighty-eight and one-half (88½) degrees west two (2) chains and eighty (80) links to a post marked 290, the place of beginning. Being a tract of tide lands in San Francisco Bay designated as part of lot No. 24, and part of lot No. 23, in section (11) of said township two (2); containing two and seventeen-hundredths (2 17-100) acres, according to a certain map entitled "Map No. 2, of Salt Marsh and Tide Lands, situated in the County of Alameda, State of California."

Third. Commencing at a point in the line dividing the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract from the Chipman west one hundred and eleven acre tract, distant one hundred (100) feet southerly from the south line of Central avenue (formerly called Washington avenue) and running thence southerly along said dividing line one hundred and sixty-six (166) feet and eight (8) inches to the patent line of the Antonio Maria Peralta Rancho; thence west along said patent line thirty (30) feet; thence north parallel with said dividing line one hundred and sixty-six (166) feet and eight (8) inches; and thence at right angles easterly thirty (30) feet to the point of commencement.

Fourth. Commencing at a point on the dividing line between the Aughinbaugh 223 acre tract and the Chipman III acre tract, distant one hundred and twenty (120) feet south of Central avenue (formerly called Washington avenue), and running thence south one (1) degree and thirty-five (35) minutes west thirty (30) feet; thence easterly parallel with said Central avenue sixty (60) feet; thence north one (1) degree and thirty-five (35) minutes east thirty (30) feet; and thence westerly parallel with said Central avenue sixty (60) feet to the point of commencement.

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

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Oakland, December 28, 1895.

W. S. HARLOW,
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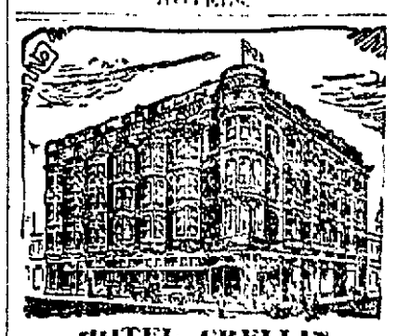
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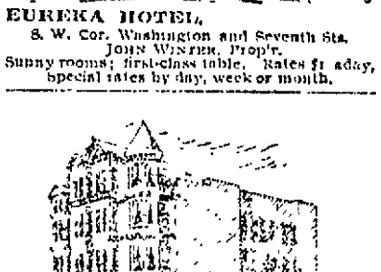
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LITERARY NOTES.

The Overland Monthly for January has been well named a holiday number. There is not a line in it that is not readable and an idea of its contents may be obtained from the fact that Edward R. Taylor has written on "The Pueblo Lands of San Francisco," Irving M. Scott on "Hard Times," Roundeville Wildman on "A Malayan New Year," Frank Elliott Myers on "Colonial Dames" and John Finlay on "Banks and Banking in California."

The Young Ladies Journal is an authority on fashion that none can gainsay. In its pages can be found the latest information regarding the hobbies of society and it would seem as if it were impossible for a well kept boudoir to get along without it. The January number contains an adorable pattern for a frock for a little girl and was made in Paris by one of the directors of fashion. The whole number is replete with the latest hints and notes. (International Press Co., New York.)

The Cosmopolitan has started out the New Year in a manner that promises well for its success. The January number contains contributions by Arthur S. Hardy, Harry L. Wells, W. S. Harwood, Maurice Thompson, William Hill, James Lane Allen, W. A. Dobson, G. E. Montgomery, R. L. Stevenson, Esther Singleton, Julien Gordon, Edward Harlow and Sir Robert Harton. The subject matter is remarkably diversified and the charming picture on the first page is worthy of the high-class material contained within.

The Idler is just the magazine to pass away a leisure hour. Its pages are always well filled with the best of material by the best of authors and under the able editorship of Jerome K. Jerome it is making steady and rapid strides of advancement. The January company contains a story by Rudyard Kipling "Mr. Bill Maurice at Home," and an illustrated interview with Sir Augustus Harris. There is also a medley of general reading. (International News Co., New York.)

The Pocket Magazine is a wonderful production on its size and price. Although only costing 10 cents the January number contains a splendid assortment of tales by Gilbert Parker, Robert W. Chambers, Louise Chandler Moulton, Frank R. Stockton, Frances Gubbie and Opie Read. (Francis A. Stokes Co., New York.)

Scribner's Magazine is always good and the January number especially so. The frontispiece is a view of Rouen by Claude Monet and then comes an article illustrated on decorative painting by Robert Blum. Thomas Curtis Clarke writes of water ways from the ocean to the lake. J. M. Page gives the first section of "Sentimental Tommy" and Andrew Lang furnishes "Love's Cryptogram."

The wonderful success that attended "Pushing to the Front" induced Orison Sweet Marden, its talented author, to strike out on similar lines and the result is "Architects of Fate, or Steps to Success and Power." On its title page it is stated that it is a book designed to inspire youth to character building, self culture, and noble achievement and that it does all it claims will be readily conceded after it has been perused. It is a work that will stir ambition in the young heart for it tells how others achieved success and calls to mind the feeling of every soldier in Napoleon's army—that perchance he had a marshal's baton in his knapsack. The story of how great men started, their struggles, their long waitings, the obstacles they overcame and their final triumphs all are recited in a graceful manner and the work is replete with the best of advice. A better book for the student or beginner of life's battle cannot be conceived. Handsomely bound in cloth, $1.50. (Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.)

"Life in Shut In Valley and Other Pacific coast tales" by Clara Spaulding Brown, is a very readable little work. In a light, breezy, anecdotal strain California life in early days is pictured and there is a knowledge of the subject that makes the situations very vivid and realistic. The mining sketches are ably worked up and the descriptions are painted in admirable diction. The stories are all short, crisp and to the point. (The Editor Publishing Co., Franklin, O.)

John Sherman's "Recollections of Forty Years in the House, Senate and Cabinet," are at last in type. The work is autobiographical and in the two handsome volumes in which it appears is crowded the busy life of one of the greatest statesmen of the age. There are personal recollections and anecdotes regarding the latter-day makers of American history—the tariff and financial questions are traced from their inception to their present stage—reminiscences of congressional work are related in a gossipy, entertaining strain and altogether the work is one of the most readable production of the century. Senator Sherman is well qualified in every way to handle the subject for he has been for over a score of years just one of the moulders of American principles and is without doubt one of the ablest statesmen and most profound thinkers the United States has ever had. The book will be invaluable for library purposes as well as for general reading, for it is illustrated with portraits, fac-simile letters, scenes, etc., not a thing that could in any way add to its completeness, having been omitted. The war pictures are splendidly worked up and altogether the book should be in the hands not only of all politicians but of everyone interested in the history of the country. (The Werner Co., Chicago and New York.)

"Beauty for Ashes." By Kate Clark Brown. Cloth 75 cents; paper 25 cents. The Arena Publishing Company, Copley Square, Boston, Mass. This is a very strong story of real life, with a subtle underlying reincarnation motive. The story opens with an account of the brief wedded life of Bob Richardson, a Missouri farmer, and his young and beautiful wife, Dellen. The girl-wife is quite uneducated, never having been to school in her life, but is by nature refined and spiritual. She sits by the river dreaming dreams and building air castles, so that the neighbors look upon her as "queer," or what is commonly called "fey." She dies in giving birth to her first child, a girl, whom, from some undefinable impulse, she enjoins her husband to christen Lorris. And then through a variety of highly interesting chapters the tale goes on and brings out the old moral that man is purified by suffering and will reap what he sows. Altogether it is a very remarkable story. (For sale by M. S. Smith & Sons, Broadway, Oakland.)

Romance, which has heretofore been devoted to fiction entirely, has undergone a complete change. It is now issued as a five cent magazine, filled with illustrations of a popular kind. The magazine is a considerable novelty, the idea being to emphasize the illustrated side of it rather than the text. There are forty-eight pages containing not less than sixty illustrations printed from the best of plates on the best of paper. There are pictures of noted painters, of people of the day, of actors and actresses, of literary individuals at home. Scientific matters are treated of, and amateur photography is given a generous space. Altogether the design has met with a cordial reception wherever spoken of, and readers will be sure to profit by purchasing the early numbers which will form a perfect little picture book of genuine, contemporary interest.

In a recent work called "The Hill Caves of Yucatan," Mr. Henry C. Mercer has opened up a region quite new to literature. His search was for evidences of man's antiquity in the deposits of unexplored caverns; but he found much that interests unscientific readers as well.

An excellent biography of Schomburgk, whose name has been mentioned so often in connection with the Venezuela question is to be found in Appletons' Cyclopedia of American Biography, which also contains a concise and valuable biography of President Monroe and an account of the Monroe Doctrine.

Dr Berdoe, a well known writer on Robert Browning and his works, has prepared a volume on the evidences of Christianity from Browning's standpoint.

Professor L. H. Bailey's work on Plant Breeding which will be published by Macmillan & Co. early in September ,will form the last volume of the "Garden Craft Series."

Froebel's Songs and Games are by far the most important and most successful of his educational devices. They open to the imagination the form of the book has not been adequate to its idea. Thoughtful persons have questioned whether children should learn bad poetry and sing poor music. In the edition just published by D. Appleton & Co., competent poets and musicians have cooperated to give a worthy setting to Froebel's thought, and it is believed that the book will meet a need long and widely felt by mothers and Kindergartners.

The complete novel in the January issue of Lippincott's is by Mrs. Alexander, the author of "The Wooing O't" and other well known books. "Mrs. Crichton's Creditor" was also her admirer, but his devotion was disinterested almost beyond parallel, and her innocence and sense of duty were such that the two would have made a model pair—if only they had been paired. As for Mr. Crichton, there was much less to be said in his favor. "The Woman of Asbestos" is a Neapolitan story by Mrs. Pullen, better known as Elizabeth Cavazza, who knows Southern Italy as if it were her native land. Dorothy E. Nelson strikes the true note of Christmas in "Our Lady of the Angels." "The Way of a Will" was a curious way indeed; it is here traced by William T. Nichols, already well known to the readers of Lippincott's. Charles Dudley Rhodes (Olly) with humorous Western cynicism the tale of "The Man Who Came to Town."

Mr. Marion Crawford's novel "A Cigarette Maker's Romance," is being dramatized. The fact that the action covers only thirty-six hours makes the task of dramatization a specially easy one.

The second volume of the "Social England Series," which was inaugurated so successfully with Rowbotham's "Troubadours and Courts of Love," will be "The King's Peace," by Mr. Inderwick, Q. C.

Macmillan & Co announce a work on "Alternating Currents and Alternating Current Machinery," by Dugald C. Jackson, B. S. C. E., professor of electrical engineering in the University of Wisconsin.

In "Men of the Moss Hags," which went recently into its third edition, Mr. Crockett has returned again to his earlier style, made famous by "The Raiders."

The first issue of the Atlantic Monthly for 1896 opens with an unpublished note book of Nathaniel Hawthorne, now printed for the first time. There are also the opening chapters of a new three-part story by F. J. Stimson (J. S. of Dale) entitled "Pirate Gold." It deals with romantic Boston life in the fifties. Two political articles will be sure to attract attention, "The Emancipation of the Post-office," by John R. Procter, chairman of the United State civil service commission, and "Congress out of Date," the latter being an able statement of the evils due to the present system of convening Congress a year after its election.

Godey's Magazine has brought out another novelty for the January number in the shape of a Woman's number. All the articles, stories, and poems in it are either by or about women. If anyone thinks, however, that the magazine is less interesting on this account, let him read Joseph Dana Miller's "The New Woman in Office," of how Mrs. Blackman, secretary of the police board of Leavenworth, handled a Coxey army, and the experience of Mrs. Ames as deputy sheriff in Illinois, or of the ingenious accomplishments of women, told in "Women Inventors"; or Mrs. Martha McCulloch Williams' charming piece of fiction "Perramus and Thisbe;" or Frances Aymar Mathews' "A Record of Realities."

Macmillan & Co. will publish shortly "A London Garland," consisting of extracts from Chaucer, Lydgate, Dunbar, Surrey, Spenser, Drayton, etc., edited by Mr. W. E. Henley, with 100 illustrations by members of the Society of Illustrators.

Outing for January opens with a fascinating story "Sweet Marjory," by Sara Beaumont Kennedy. Three complete stories, "An Arctic Castaway," by R. G. Parker, "The Stranger at the Anchor," by M. F. Williams and "The Burglar of Cornfield Inn," by H. Balfson, make the fiction department unusually strong. Notable sporting features are "Winter Fishing," by Ed. W. Sandys; "A Moose Hunt on the Yukon," by the late V. Wilson and "A Night Among the Wolves," by Fred Whishaw. "The Horse of Society" is a finely illustrated article by E. B. Abercrombie. Sketches of cycling, travel and adventure add variety to an excellent number.

"The Land of Nada," by Bonnie Scotland, cloth 75 cents; paper 25 cents. The Arena Publishing Co., Copley Square, Boston, Mass. The Land of Nada, the scene of this charming fairy story is an enchanted country, ruled over by King Whitecombo and the beautiful Queen Haywarda, Prince Trueheart and his blue-eyed baby sister, Princess Dorothy, and their wonderful adventures, the enchanted cows and chickens, the wonderful lemon tree whose trunk yields three different kinds of beverages, are some of the wonders of this delightful land; as are, also, the doings of the fairies, good goblins, and enchanted hawks. The style in which the book is gotten up makes it very suitable for a Christmas present. (For sale by M. S. Smith & Sons, Broadway, Oakland.)

The unexpectedly active demand for the December Midland Monthly (several thousand in excess of the supply) has been followed—so the publisher informs us—by still larger orders from dealers, and by a large increase in 1896 subscriptions. The January Midland (out about the 24th inst.) will have two prize contributions: "A Glimpse of Acadia," (Western Louisiana), with pictures, and "A Mining Camp Love Story" also the Minnesota Club Federation," with portraits "Glimpses of Scottish Scenery," and other illustrated articles. The strong fiction department leads off with a racy "lawyer's story," by the popular Frank W. Calkins, followed by stories from Rosa Hudspeth, Eugene Schaffter and other rising young authors. Hon. E. W. Skinner vigorously opposes Andrew Carnegie's plea for an Anglo-American union—a timely theme in view of recent events. Superintendent Frank R. Cooper ably handles "Current Educational Movements." Home themes, war sketches, poetry and editorial departments altogether make the January Midland (Des Moines) one well worth reading through.

The New Bohemian begins the New Year with a splendid array of literary and artistic talent. The January number presents one of the most important literary features of the month in the shape of a brilliant and scholarly review of Professor John Uri Lloyd's great book "Etidorhpa," by Judge J. Soule Smith. The leading story, written by Frances Aymar Mathews, bears the fin de siecle title of "Two of a Kind and a Joker." It is a strong story, full of action and replete with dramatic situations. Dr. William C. Cooper contributes a valuable and interesting paper on the writing of "Hoosier Dialect." "Folk Lore: What Is It?" is the title of an instructive, entertaining and carefully prepared paper on the origin, history and significance of the folk lore of nations, by M. S. V. Tallaferro. This article is amply illustrated with drawings by the author.

The New Year's Ladies Home Journal brings with it abundant assurance that it has inaugurated a red letter year of its existence—that it will be better in 1896 than ever. The best known and most popular contemporaneous writers and artists are represented in their best achievements. On the cover page is reproduced Albert Lynch's famous painting, "The Godmother," in half tone, showing the great work of the modern master in exquisite perfection of artistic detail. Mary Anderson de Navarro continues the interesting reminiscences of her "Early Days on the Stage," recounting her trials, disappointments and ultimate triumphs. Ex-President Harrison's paper in his "This Country of Ours" series, explains succintly and lucidly the Federal Constitution, tells of its adoption and amendments, and defines its scope and limitations.

The first editions of the January McClure's is 300,000 copies—an increase of 170,000 in three months. It is easy to understand these great strides in circulation when one has read, in this number, the remarkable story of Lincoln as the manager of Denton Offutt's saw mill and country store at New Salem, the victorious wrestler against the champion of Clary's Grove, the student, between whiles, of Kirkham's Grammar, a candidate for the legislature, and captain of raw recruits in the Black Hawk War; and when one has inspected the twenty-five pictures which help to vivify this most engaging chapter of Lincoln history. We have been advised heretofore that the history of Lincoln's early years was lost. This can be said no more; for Miss Tarbell has recovered it for McClure's down to its smallest detail.

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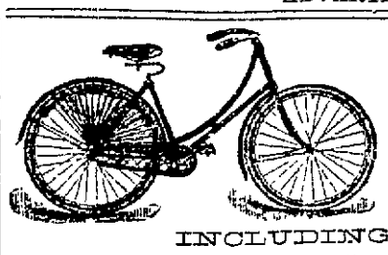
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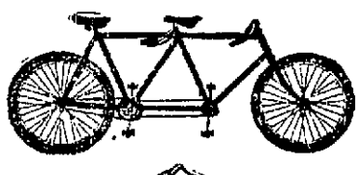
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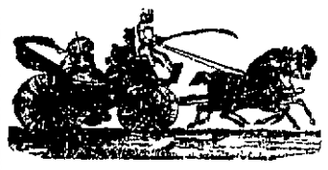
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7:36 a	Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sacramento and Redding via Davis	6:39 p
8:04 a	Martinez, San Ramon, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	5:45 p
9:27 a	Los Angeles express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	4:39 p
9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton	10:04 a
2:01 p	*Port Costa and way stations	*7:14 p
4:06 p	New Orleans express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	10:04 a
4:06 p	Santa Fe route, Atlantic express for Mojave and East	10:04 a
4:34 p	Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa	8:45 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:14 a
6:36 p	European mail, Ogden and East	9:13 a
7:36 p	**Vallejo	* 7:14 p
7:36 p	Oregon express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:14 a
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1:40 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:07 a
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6:43 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

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10:36 a	[*] Seminary Park,	[*] 1:08 p
12:36 p	Fitchburg,	2:08 p
3:36 p	Elmhurst,	5:08 p
4:30 p	San Leandro	6:08 p
5:36 p	and	8:08 p
7:36 p	Haywards.	10:08 p
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11:51 p		6:38 a

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2:15 p	***Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	***11:14 a
5:15 p	Newark, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:44 a
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LITERARY NOTES.

The Overland Monthly for January has been well named a holiday number. There is not a line in it that is not readable and an idea of its contents may be obtained from the fact that Edward R. Taylor has written on "The Pueblo Lands of San Francisco," Irving M. Scott on "Hard Times," Roundeville Wildman on "A Malayan New Year," Frank Elliott Myers on "Colonial Dames" and John Finlay on "Banks and Banking in California."

The Young Ladies Journal is an authority on fashion that none can gainsay. In its pages can be found the latest information regarding the hobbies of society and it would seem as if it were impossible for a well kept boudoir to get along without it. The January number contains an admirable pattern for a frock for a little girl and was made in Paris by one of the dictators of fashion. The whole number is replete with the latest hints and notes. (International Press Co., New York.)

The Cosmopolitan has started out the New Year in a manner that promises well for its success. The January number contains contributions by Arthur S. Hardy, Harry L. Wells, W. S. Harwood, Maurice Thompson, William Hill, James Lane Allen, W. A. Dobson, G. H. Montgomery, R. L. Stevenson, Esther Singleton, Julien Gordon, Edward Harlow and Sir Robert Harton. The subject matter is remarkably diversified and the charming picture on the first page is worthy of the high-class material contained within.

The Idler is just the magazine to pass away a leisure hour. Its pages are always well filled with the best of material by the best of authors and under the able editorship of Jerome K. Jerome it is making steady and rapid strides of advancement. The January company contains a story by Rudyard Kipling, "Mr. Du Maurier at Home," and an illustrated interview with Sir Augustus Harris. There is also a medley of general reading. (International News Co., New York.)

The Pocket Magazine is a wonderful production for its size and price. Although only costing 10 cents the January number contains a splendid assortment of tales by Gilbert Parker, Robert W. Chambers, Louise Chandler Moulton, Frank R. Stockton, Francis Gubbie and Opie Read. (Francis A. Stokes Co., New York.)

Scribner's Magazine is always good and the January number especially so. The frontispiece is a view of Rouen by Claude Monet and then comes an article (illustrated) on decorative painting by Robert Blum. Thomas Curtis Clarke writes of water ways from the ocean to the lake. J. M. Bame gives the first section of "Sentimental Tommy" and Andrew Lang furnishes "Love's Cryptogram."

The wonderful success that attended "Pushing to the front" induced Orison Sweet Marden, its talented author, to strike out on similar lines and the result is "Architects of Fate, or Steps to Success and Power." On its title page it is stated that it is a book designed to inspire youth to character building, self culture and noble achievement and that it does all it claims will be readily conceded after it has been perused. It is a work that will stir ambition in the young heart for it tells how others achieved success and calls to mind the feeling of every soldier in Napoleon's army—that perchance he had a marshal's baton in his knapsack. The story of how great men started, their struggles, their long waitings, the obstacles they overcame and their final triumphs all are recited in a graceful manner and the work is replete with the best of advice. A better book for the student or beginner of life's battle cannot be conceived. (Handsomely bound in cloth, $1.50; Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.)

"Life in Shut in Valley and Other Pacific coast tales," by Clara Spaulding Brown, is a very readable little work. In a light, breezy, anecdotal strain California life in early days is pictured and there is a knowledge of the subject that makes the situations very vivid and realistic. The mining sketches are ably worked up and the descriptions are painted in admirable diction. The stories are short, crisp and to the point. (The Editor Publishing Co., Franklin, O.)

John Sherman's "Recollections of Forty Years in the House, Senate and Cabinet," are at last in type. The work is autiographical and in the two handsome volumes in which it appears is crowded the busy life of one of the greatest statesmen of the age. There are personal recollections and anecdotes regarding the latter-day makers of American history—the tariff and financial questions are traced from their inception to their present stage—reminiscences of congressional work are related in a gossipy, entertaining strain and altogether the work is one of the most readable production of the century. Senator Sherman is well qualified in every way to handle the subject for he has been for over a score of years past one of the moulders of American principles and is without doubt one of the ablest statesmen and most profound thinkers the United States has ever had. The book will be invaluable for library purposes as well as for general reading, for it is illustrated with portraits, fac-simile letters, sc nes, etc., not a thing that could in any . ay add to its completeness, having been omitted. The war pictures are splendidly worked up and altogether the book should be in the hands not only of all politicians but of everyone interested in the history of the country. (The Werner Co., Chicago and New York.)

"Beauty for Ashes." By Kate Clark Brown. Cloth 75 cents; paper 25 cents. The Arena Publishing Company, Copley Square, Boston, Mass. This is a very strong story of real life, with a subtle underlying reincarnation motive. The story opens with an account of the brief wedded life of Bob Richardson, a Missouri farmer, and his young and beautiful wife, Ellen. The girl-wife is quite untutored, never having been to school in her life, but is by nature refined and spiritual. She sits by the river dreaming dreams and building air castles, so that the neighbors look upon her as "queer," or what is commonly called "fey." She dies in giving birth to her first child, a girl, whom, from some indefinable impulse, she enjoins her husband to christen Lorris. And then through a variety of highly interesting chapters the tale goes on and brings out the old moral that man is purified by suffering and will reap what he sows. Altogether it is a very remarkable story. (For sale by M. S. Smith & Sons, Broadway, Oakland.)

Romance, which has heretofore been devoted to fiction entirely, has undergone a complete change. It is now issued as a five cent magazine, filled with illustrations of a popular kind. The magazine is a considerable novelty, the idea being to emphasize the illustrated side of it rather than the text. There are forty-eight pages containing not less than sixty illustrations printed from the best of plates on the best of paper. There are pictures of noted painters, of people of the day, of actors and actresses, of literary individuals at home. Scientific matters are treated of, and amateur photography is given a generous space. Altogeth r the design has met with a cordial reception wherever spoken of, and readers will be sure to profit by purchasing the early numbers which will form a perfect little picture book of genuine, contemporary interest.

In a recent work called "The Hill Caves of Yucatan," Mr. Henry C. Mercer has opened up a region quite new to literature. His search was for evidences of man's antiquity in the deposits of unexplored caverns; but he found much that interests unscientific readers as well.

An excellent biography of Schomburgk, whose name has been mentioned so often in connection with the Venezuela question is to be found in Appletons' Cyclopedia of American Biography, which also contains a concise and valuable biography of President Monroe and an account of the Monroe Doctrine.

Dr. Berdoe, a well known writer on Robert Browning and his works, has prepared a volume on the evidences of Christianity from Browning's standpoint.

Professor L. H. Bailey's work on Plant Breeding which will be published by Macmillan & Co. early in September ,will form the first volume of the "Garden Craft Series."

Froebel's Songs and Games are by far the most important and most successful of his educational devices. They open to the imagination of childhood the vision of the ideal, and hence stir the sympathies, arouse the mind, and awaken the conscience. In the past their merit has been obscured by the fact that both in the original Mother Play and in its literal translations the form of the book has not been adequate to its idea. Thoughtful persons have questioned whether children should learn bad poetry and sing poor music. In the edition just published by D. Appleton & Co., competent poets and musicians have cooperated to give a worthy setting to Froebel's thought, and it is believed that the book will meet a need long and widely felt by mothers and kindergartners.

The complete novel in the January issue of Lippincott's is by Mrs. Alexander, the author of "The Wooing O't" and other well known books. "Mrs. Crichton's Creditor" was also her admirer, but his devotion was disinterested almost beyond parallel, and her innocence and sense of duty were such that the two would have made a model pair—if only they had been paired. As for Mr. Crichton, there was much less to be said in his favor. "The Woman of Asbestos" is a Neapolitan story by Mrs. Pullen, better known as Elizabeth Cavazza, who knows Southern Italy as if it were her native land. Dorothy E. Nelson strikes the true note of Christmas in "Our Lady of the Angels." "The Way of a Will" was a curious way indeed; it is here traced by William T. Nichols, already well known to the readers of Lippincott's. Charles Dudley Rhodes tells with humorous Western cynicism the tale of "The Man Who Came to Town."

Mr. Marion Crawford's novel "A Cigarette Maker's Romance," is being dramatized. The fact that the action covers only thirty-six hours makes the task of dramatization a specially easy one.

The second volume of the "Social England Series," which was inaugurated so successfully with Rowbotham's "Troubadours and Courts of Love," will be "The King's Peace," by Mr. Inderwick, Q. C.

Macmillan & Co. announce a work on "Alternating Currents and Alternating Current Machinery," by Dugald C. Jackson, B. S. C. E., professor of electrical engineering in the University of Wisconsin.

In "Men of the Moss Hags," which went recently into its third edition, Mr. Crockett has returned again to his earlier style, made famous by "The Raiders."

The first issue of the Atlantic Monthly for 1896 opens with an unpublished note book of Nathaniel Hawthorne, now printed for the first time. There are also the opening chapters of a new three-part story by F. J. Stimson (J. S. of Dale) entitled "Pirate Gold." It deals with romantic Boston life in the fifties. Two political articles will be sure to attract attention, "The Emancipation of the Postoffice," by John R. Procter, chairman of the United State civil service commission, and "Congress out of Date," the latter being an able statement of the evils due to the present system of convening Congress a year after its election.

Godey's Magazine has brought out another novelty for the January number in the shape of a Woman's number. All the articles, stories, and poems in it are either by or about women. If anyone thinks, however, that the magazine is less interesting on this account, let him read Joseph Dana Miller's "The New Woman in Office," of how Mrs. Blaeman, secretary of the police board of Leavenworth, handled a Coxey army, and the experience of Mrs. Ames as deputy sheriff in Illinois; or of the ingenious accomplishments of women, told in "Women Inventors"; or Mrs. Martha McCulloch Williams' charming piece of fiction, "Pyramus and Thisbe," or Frances Aymar Mathews' "A Record of Realities."

Macmillan & Co. will publish shortly "A London Garland," consisting of extracts from Chaucer, Lydgate, Dunbar, Surrey, Spenser, Drayton, etc., edited by Mr. W. E. Henley, with 100 illustrations by members of the Society of Illustrators.

Outing for January opens with a fascinating story "Sweet Marjory," by Sara Beaumont Kennedy. Three complete stories, "An Arctic Castaway," by R. G. Taber, "The Stranger at the Anchor," by M. F. Williams, and "The Burglar of Cornfield inn," by H. Babson, make the fiction department unusually strong. Notable sporting features are: "Winter Fishing," by Ed. W. Sandys; "A Moose Hunt on the Yukon," by the late V. Wilson; and "A Night Among the Wolves," by Fred Whishaw. "The Horse of Society" is a finely illustrated article by E. B. Abercrombie. Sketches of cycling, travel and adventure add variety to an excellent number.

"The Land of Nada," by Bonnie Scotland; cloth 75 cents; paper 25 cents. The Arena Publishing Co., Copley Square, Boston, Mass. The Land of Nada, the scene of this charming fairy story, is an enchanted country, ruled over by King Whitcombo and the beautiful Queen Haywarda. Prince Trueheart and his blue-eyed baby sister, Princess Dorothy, and their wonderful adventures; the enchanted cows and chickens, the wonderful lemon tree whose trunk yields three different kinds of beverages, are some of the wonders of this delightful land; as are, also, the doings of the fairies, genii, goblins, and enchanted hawks. The style in which the book is gotten up makes it very suitable for a Christmas present. (For sale by M. S. Smith & Sons, Broadway, Oakland.)

The unexpectedly active demand for the December Midland Monthly (several thousand in excess of the supply) has been followed—so the publisher informs us—by still larger orders from dealers, and by a large increase in 1896 subscriptions. The January Midland (out about the 21st inst.) will have two prize contributions: "A Glimpse of Acadia," (Western Louisiana), with pictures, and "A Mining Camp Love Story;" also the Minnesota Club Federation," with portraits; "Glimpses of Scottish Scenery," and other illustrated articles. The strong fiction department leads off with a racy "lawyer's story," by the popular Frank W. Calkins, followed by stories from Rosa Hudspeth, Eugene Schaffter and other rising young authors. Hon. E. W. Skinner vigorously opposes Andrew Carnegie's plea for an Anglo-American union—a timely theme in view of recent events. Superintendent Frank B. Cooper ably handles "Current Educational Movements." Home themes, war sketches, poetry and editorial departments altogether make the January Midland (Des Moines) one well worth reading through.

The New Bohemian begins the New Year with a splendid array of literary and artistic talent. The January number presents one of the most important literary features of the month in the shape of a brilliant and scholarly review of Professor John Uri Lloyd's great book "Etidorhpa," by Judge J. Soule Smith. The leading story, written by Frances Aymar Mathews, bears the fin de siecle title of "Two of a Kind and a Joker." It is a strong story, full of action and replete with dramatic situations. Dr. William C. Cooper contributes a valuable and interesting paper on the writing of "Hoosier Dialect." "Folk Lore: What Is It?" is the title of an instructive, entertaining and carefully prepared paper on the origin, history and significance of the folk lore of nations, by M. S. V. Taliaferro. This article is amply illustrated with drawings by the author.

The New Year's Ladies Home Journal brings with it abundant assurance that it has inaugurated a red letter year of its existence—that it will be better in 1896 than ever. The best known and most popular contemporaneous writers and artists are represented in their best achievements. On the cover page is reproduced Albert Lynch's famous painting, "The Godmother," in half tone, showing the great work of the modern master in exquisite perfection of artistic detail. Mary Anderson de Navarro continues the interesting reminiscences of her "Early Days on the Stage," recounting her trials, disappointments and ultimate triumphs. Ex-President Harrison's paper in his "This Country of Ours" series, explains succinctly and lucidly the Federal Constitution, tells of its adoption and amendments, and defines its scope and limitations.

The first editions of the January McClure's is 300,000 copies—an increase of 170,000 in three months. It is easy to understand these great strides in circulation when one has read, in this number, the remarkable story of Lincoln as the manager of Denton Offutt's saw mill and country store at New Salem, the victorious wrestler against the champion of Clary's Grove, the student, between whiles, of Kirkham's Grammar, a candidate for the legislature, and captain of raw recruits in the Black Hawk War; and when one has inspected the twenty-five pictures which help to vivify this most engaging chapter of Lincoln history. We have been advised heretofore that the history of Lincoln's early years was lost. This can be said no more; for Miss Tarbell has recovered it for McClure's down to its smallest detail.

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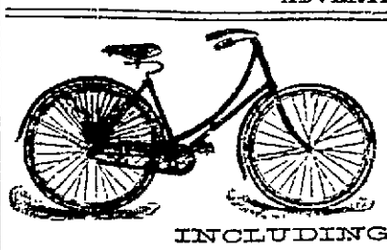
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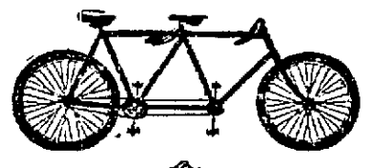
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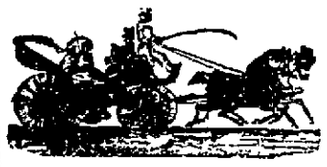
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4:06 p	New Orleans express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	10:04 a
4:06 p	Santa Fe route, Atlantic express for Mojave and East	10:04 a
4:34 p	Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa	8:45 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:14 a
6:36 p	European mail, Ogden and East	8:13 a
7:36 p	Vallejo	7:14 p
7:36 p	Oregon express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:14 a
10:27 p	Sunset Limited, Fresno, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and East	12:10 p

NILES ROUTE,
First Street Near Broadway.

Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
9:00 a	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Red Bluff and Oroville	3:37 p
9:00 a	Peters and Milton	6:41 p
1:40 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:07 a
5:12 p	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:41 p
6:43 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

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Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
7:03 a	To Melrose, Seminary Park, Fitchburg, Elmhurst, San Leandro and Haywards.	9:38 a
9:36 a		11:08 a
10:38 a		1:08 p
12:36 p		2:08 p
3:38 p		5:08 p
4:36 p		6:08 p
5:36 p		8:08 p
7:38 p		10:09 p
9:36 p		11:18 p
11:51 p		6:38 a

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Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
8:15 a	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, San Cruz and way stations; also Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe and way stations	5:44 p
2:25 p	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	11:14 a
8:15 p	Newark, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:44 a
11:45 p	Hunters' excursion, San Jose and way stations	7:14 p

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A PAVING PROTEST.

Superintendent Miller Will Not Accept the Twelfth Street Work.

EXPERTS GIVE EVIDENCE.

Complaints About the Bitumen Are Denied by the Contractors.

THE COUNCIL KEPT BUSY.

More Efforts to Turn Money Into the Depleted Treasury.

The first Council meeting for 1896 was in some respects a remarkable one and although the session continued until half past 11 o'clock not very much routine work was cleared off the table. At 9 o'clock all business was laid aside to hear the appeal of the Pacific Paving Company, which took until within a quarter of an hour until the time of adjournment. Nearly every member had something which needed attention and called it up between 11:15 and 11:30. Brosnahan had a new scheme for saving the city money, which came after Heitmann's resolution to provide funds for the men who work on the streets.

The members learned all kinds of lessons in street paving and also that the street superintendent had been doing good work. The contractors for the Twelfth street job insisted that it was the best piece of work ever done in Oakland and on cross-examination admitted that the Street Superintendent's continually keeping after them was the cause of its superiority.

The meeting opened in the regular way with communications, protests, petitions and reports. They were read and disposed of as follows:

COMMUNICATIONS.

From the Mayor noting the expenses for the past six months. Filed.

From the City Engineer in reference to Morgan maps. Filed.

From the City Attorney, advising that the pickle ordinance is illegal. Filed.

From the Chief of Police, Poundmaster and City Wharfinger. Filed.

MINER'S BILLS.

Mr. Towle called up the resolution which provides that the City Council send its request to the California Congressmen to assist in the development of the mining lands.

Grant L. Taggert, who owns mining interests, addressed the Council briefly. He said that the bills they desired to have Congress pass had been drawn at the Miner's Convention in San Francisco and that Perkins and Hilborn had expressed themselves as favorable to the proposed action.

The rules were suspended and the resolutions unanimously passed.

ORDINANCES.

The ordinance providing that street cars be provided with at least one man as conductor in addition to the motorman came up for second reading. Towle said that some of the companies wished to be heard and the matter was referred back to the committee. The meeting will be held next Thursday evening to hear the complaints.

The ordinance providing for the posting of the names of streets and avenues at the street corners was read. As originally drawn the ordinance provided that the city numberer should do the work. That office has been abolished and though changes were suggested the matter was referred back to the committee.

Mott said that Fireman Smith wanted to appear before the finance committee and his claim, which had been sent to the Board of Public Works with a recommendation that it be rejected, was re-referred to the committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Transferring $5000 from the general fund to the street light fund.

Fixing Monday, January 20th, as the time to hear the protest of E. C. Sessions and others against sewering Twenty-first avenue.

Rescinding the resolution to regrade and macadamize East Sixteenth street.

Releasing W. S. Dunlevy, contractor, from his contract for sewering East Twenty-eighth street from Ninth to Thirteenth avenues, provided he pay the costs of advertising.

THE PAVING APPEAL.

The appeal of the Pacific Paving Company to have its assessment issued for paving Twelfth street from Washington to Broadway was called promptly at 9 o'clock. Street Superintendent Miller had refused to issue the assessment because he considered the work was poorly done and not in conformity with the specifications and contract.

The attorney for the company suggested that Mr. Miller first prove that the work was defective, but Towle thought that the company should prove its case first and James H. Swift manager for the company, was sworn. He said that he had been very particular about this work and he considered it as fine a piece of work as was ever done. He thought that the bitumen was not lumpy nor was it laid on a foundation too damp.

Mr. Miller asked on cross-examination if the witness had ever received notice not to lay the bitumen until the foundation dried. Mr. Swift answered that the company had.

Bassett asked the effect of laying bitumen on a wet foundation and Dow took up the statement of the witness that the Street Superintendent had given the company trouble from the first. Under the examination the witness acknowledged that Mr. Miller had made complaints about the rock, cement, etc., but did nothing that an honest and careful official should not do.

S. B. Boyce, on behalf of the appellants, said that he had noticed the condition of the street before the bitumen was laid and thought it sufficiently dry. On cross-examination he said that he knew nothing about concrete, was not a contractor and did not know what the effect of water on a foundation would be.

F. W. Searing, whose store is on the street, did not think that the street was very wet. It had rained the afternoon before the day on which the bitumen was laid.

Charles Marshal, the foreman in the employ of the company, testified that the street was moist, though not what would be called wet. As to lumps he said that there were none in the bitumen that would not pulverize under the roller.

M. J. Manard, assistant superintendent for the company, and laborer Farley, in their employ, thought the job A1, and J. W. Crick, the inspector for the city, said that the work, in his opinion, was done in accordance with the plans and specifications, and he considered it one of the finest jobs in the city.

Dow took a piece of bitumen and asked the witness if bitumen containing lumps as large as those in the piece he held should be laid in doing good work.

Mr. Crick said, if so, the work would be considered a bad job.

P. W. Reardon was the first witness for the city. He said that he had been in the street contracting business for six years and thought that good bitumen should be practically free from lumps. The concrete might be a little wet without affecting the work, so long as the water was not sufficient to cool the bitumen.

A. Haskins said he had laid bitumen and asphalt for the past fourteen years. That lumps should be removed to make a good pavement, and that dryness of the foundation added to the efficiency.

City Engineer Wilson said that he had noticed the work while in course of construction. He had noticed that the men were raking the lumps along and covering them up instead of taking them out. He had told the foreman in charge not to lay the bitumen until the street dried. Shortly afterward, he came back and found that the work of placing the bitumen on the concrete was in progress.

Towle moved that further consideration of the matter be sent to the street committee, for them to investigate and report at the next meeting.

The roll was called, and such was the order.

Mott got the floor, and moved that the next meeting be held next Monday. So ordered.

TO HELP THE POOR.

Heitmann said he had a resolution which he wanted passed. It was to transfer $3500 from the general fund to the street fund to pay the street laborers.

Mott wanted the matter to go regularly to the finance committee.

Heitmann objected, as he said he had seen street laborers having their warrants shaved by money sharks and thought the matter ought to be attended to at once.

Towle tried to pacify the matter by a meeting to be held next Wednesday, but was not supported, so Heitmann withdrew his motion, and the resolution went to the finance committee.

THE WATER RESOLUTION.

Brosnahan had a little plan to raise money.

"I think that if we give the matter attention," he said, as he presented his resolution, "that it will help the city finances and also the street laborers and perhaps Heitmann's plan will be unnecessary. The water companies are bidding for the private business, and I believe the city ought to come in on it. I have watched the business, and if they do as well by us as they do by the citizens we will save from $10,000 to $12,000 in the next six months. We will just set a night and let them come here and do a little bidding and the one who goes lowest gets the contract. We need the money and I ask for a suspension of the rules so that we can get down to work right away."

The roll was called, with the result of 7 ayes, 2 nays, 2 absent.

Ayes—Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Marshall, Mott, Towle and President Manuel.

Nays—Bassett and Heitmann.

Absent—Capell and Watkinson.

Dow thought the matter ought to go before the committee and come up at the next meeting. The hour was too late for much discussion and Brosnahan consented to lay it over for more consideration. The roll was called on the motion to lay it over and all voted aye.

The resolution in full is as follows:

Whereas, There are two companies engaged in supplying water for public and private use in the city of Oakland, both of which have been and still are actively soliciting patronage from private consumers at rates far below the maximum established by the Council to remain in force until the first day of July, A. D. 1895; and

Whereas, Notwithstanding this competition the Council of the City of Oakland has continued to pay and is still paying unnecessarily full maximum rates for all the water supplied to it by said companies and each of them; and

Whereas, It is the duty of this Council to secure its supplies of all kinds at as low rates as possible, and at prices not exceeding those paid by private consumers, and not to parcel out patronage of any kind upon petitions or solicitations or as personal favors at prices greater than need to be paid, a duty especially incumbent at this time of financial embarrassment in the funds of the city; and

Whereas, Both the said water companies are enjoying the untaxed use of the public streets for their business purposes and private gain, frequently necessitating repairs at public expense; and

Whereas, Large savings can be made to the taxpayers of this city by properly taking the benefit of the competition now existing in supplying water, and these savings can by prompt action on the part of the Council be applied during the next six months to great advantage in repairing Eighth street bridge, Twelfth street dam, improving parks and employing labor now suffering in enforced idleness; therefore

Resolved, That this Council will hereafter take its water supply for all five purposes, street, sprinkling, public parks and public buildings, controlled by it until the first day of July, A. D. 1896, from that company which will supply the water at the lowest prices below the maximum rates heretofore fixed by this Council; and that the clerk give notice by publication in the Oakland Enquirer for five days inviting such proposals.

AFTER DAVIE.

Chief of Police Lloyd sent a spicy communication complaining that the Mayor was not signing his requisitions and a resolution directing the Police and Fire Commissioners to instruct the Chief of Police to buy $193.50 worth of brogans blankets and overalls was passed over Bassett's negative vote.

Miller had a similar communication and a similar resolution was introduced.

Bassett was opposed to voting any money for cross walks and so expressed himself. The resolution was defective and while Mr. Miller was drawing a new one Dow called up the resolution authorizing the city to repair that part of the Twelfth street which is opposite their property on the dam. Dow said that there would be a meeting in Washington hall next Friday night of the Twelfth street property owners who would probably like to know what the city would do. The vote was 8 ayes, Bassett no, Watkinson and Capell absent.

THE EIGHTH STREET BRIDGE.

A new ordinance for the repair of the Eighth street bridge at a cost not to exceed $12,000 was referred to the ordinance committee.

Miller got back with his amended resolution, but he was too late; the Council stood adjourned until next Monday.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The following claims were recommended by the finance committe and passed by the Council: Mrs. Alice Anthony, $300; J. Bohan, $10; E. G. Buswell Paint Company, $2.50; William Brady, $20; John L. Bromley, $15; Contra Costa Laundry, $4.30; Carruth & Carruth, $14.65; J. P. Crick, $78; Contra Costa Water Company, $6.80; Davis & Co., $1; A. Dewson, $9; H. Deucke, $20; J. L. Dunn, $20; G. B. Daniels, $5; H. D. Ellason, $6.34, $13.75; E. Hampel, $1.50; H. Hotchkiss, $25; F. M. Humstead, $5.50; L. Hewlett, $325.71; J. Harris, $48; F. C. Howe, $3; J. A. Ingler, $20; H. E. Jones, $14, $1.25; Jordan Printing Company, $2.97; C. W. Hensey, $1.50; R. W. Merrick, $37.46; L. A. Mitchell, $15; E. A. Melbourne, $20; T. Marks, $6; J. Miller, $82.38; Ross Morgan, $140; J. Mueller, $8.25, $14; J. B. McMath, $70; V. S. Northy, $12; Charles T. Ott, $2.50; Osgood Bros., $4.50; Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company, $15.60; Oakland Enquirer Publishing Company, $13.78, $2.10, $9.20, $12.35, $30.15, $12.35, $4.12, $14.17, $2.15, $13.48; Pacific Press, $1.30; C. E. Proctor, $180, $36; Peerless Awning Company, $1; C. B. Rutherford, $3.65; F. H. Reed, $48, $60; Martin Regan, $2; J. R. Redding, $18; Rice & White, $41.83; Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Company, $1.15, $187.50, $25; Michael Sullivan, $4; E. Stockler, $1.50; H. Tum Suden, $200; O. K. Stampley, $4; Sohst Bros., $55, $38.75; I. Tobriner, $2.50; A. B. Tennant, $122.50; $122.50, $122.50; Umphred Bros., $45; Weltman & Weltman, $3.40; H. L. Weitzel, $236.25; J. J. White, $13.50; L. E. Wilkins, $1; Weltman & Weltman, $1.50; Al Wood & Bro., $4.50; J. C. Wilson & Co., $27.64, $7.47, $229.38, $17.79, $272.01.

Christmas—Consignment of mandolins, $7.50, Clark Wise & Co's, 1108 Broadway.

THE POULTRY SHOW.

A Fine Exhibition Is to Be Given at the Tabernacle.

Activity is beginning to reign in the Exposition building and annex, by way of making preparation for the coming poultry exhibit under the auspices of the Pacific Coast Poultry and Pigeon Association, which opens on the 16th inst.

Craigie Sharp, who was the manager of the late Oakland Exposition, has been appointed manager of the new undertaking, and is now ready to dispose of space for advertising and concessions. He says that the affair will be an unqualified success, because, even at this early day, more than 1000 entries have been made.

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SCHOOL STAFFS CHANGED.

The Board of Education Makes a Number of Expected Transfers.

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At the meeting of the Board of Education last night the changes to be made in the teachers came up and the following assignments were made: Miss Madden, to Cole School, ninth grade B; Miss Grove, eighth grade A, Cole School; Miss Lemon, Cole School, sixth grade A; Miss Morrison, Cole School, fifth grade A. Mrs. Preble of the Franklin School, fourth grade will exchange with Miss Hayes of the Sweet School, fourth grade.

Applications for teachers' positions from Gertrude Williams and Emma J. McCracken were filed.

Helen M. Stores of the Franklin School was granted a six months extension to her leave of absence.

Requisitions will be asked for labor and material for constructing cement curbing and gutters around the Grant School.

Attention was called to the discounting of the teachers' salary warrants and the matter referred to the Judiciary Committee for remedy if possible.

Janitors were instructed to see that no posters are placed on school fences in the future.

THE HIGH SCHOOL BOARD.

The High School Board granted Fred L. Button, president of the alumni, permission to sell tickets for an entertainment to be held January 17th.

The recommendation for special courses was referred to the committee in connection with Principal McChesney.

Complaints were made of the treatment of the rooms by the football club and the Aegis and the janitors were instructed to look carefully after the matter in the future.

Lack of funds lost Miss Palmer's application for an assistant.

A motion to close the school at 3 o'clock was carried.

A motion to dispense with singing, as it would interfere with the early closing was introduced and after discussion it was decided to have this study from 3 to 3.30 o'clock for the present and to abolish it later if the pupils do not take sufficient interest to warrant the expense.

For cut flowers, floral pieces, seeds, bulbs (this is planting time), decorations for store openings and house parties, call on Charles Wiedersheim, 516 Thirteenth street. Telephone 857.

Very Shy on Rain.

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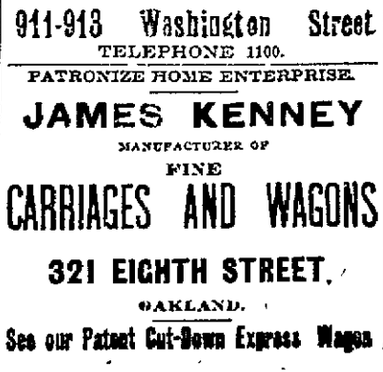
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A PAVING PROTEST.

Superintendent Miller Will Not Accept the Twelfth Street Work.

EXPERTS GIVE EVIDENCE.

Complaints About the Bitumen Are Denied by the Contractors.

THE COUNCIL KEPT BUSY.

More Efforts to Turn Money Into the Depleted Treasury.

The first Council meeting for 1896 was in some respects a remarkable one and although the session continued until half past 11 o'clock not very much routine work was cleared off the table. At 9 o'clock all business was laid aside to hear the appeal of the Pacific Paving Company, which took until within a quarter of an hour until the time of adjournment. Nearly every member had something which needed attention and called it up between 11:15 and 11:30. Brosnahan had a new scheme for saving the city money, which came after Heitmann's resolution to provide funds for the men who work on the streets.

The members hurled all kinds of lessons in street paving and also that the street superintendent had been doing good work. The contractors for the Twelfth street job insisted that it was the best piece of work ever done in Oakland and on cross-examination admitted that the Street Superintendent's continually keeping after them was the cause of its superiority.

The meeting opened in the regular way with communications, protests, petitions and reports. They were read and disposed of as follows:

COMMUNICATIONS

From the Mayor noting the expenses for the past six months. Filed.

From the City Engineer in reference to Morgan maps. Filed.

From the City Attorney, advising that the pickle ordinance is illegal. Filed.

From the Chief of Police, Poundmaster and City Whatfinger. Filed.

MINERS BILLS.

Mr. Towle called up the resolution which provides that the City Council send its request to the California Congressmen to assist in the development of the mining lands.

Grant L. Taggert, who owns mining interests, addressed the Council briefly. He said that the bills they desired to have Congress pass had been drawn at the Miner's Convention in San Francisco and that Perkins and Hilborn had expressed themselves as favorable to the proposed action.

The rules were suspended and the resolutions unanimously passed.

ORDINANCES

The ordinance providing that street cars be provided with at least one man as conductor in addition to the motorman came up on second reading. Towle said that some of the companies wished to be heard and the matter was referred back to the committee. The meeting will be held next Thursday evening to hear the complaints.

The ordinance providing for the posting of the names of streets and avenues at the street corners was read. As originally drawn the ordinance provided that the city numberer should do the work. That office has been abolished and though changes were suggested the matter was referred back to the committee.

Mott said that Fireman Smith wanted to appear before the finance committee and his claim, which had been sent to the Board of Public Works with a recommendation that it be rejected, was re-referred to the committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Transferring $5000 from the general fund to the street light fund.

Fixing Monday, January 20th, as the time to hear the protest of E. C. Sessions and others against sewering Twenty-first avenue.

Rescinding the resolution to regrade and macadamize East Sixteenth street.

Releasing W. S. Dunlevy, contractor, from his contract for sewering East Twenty-eighth street from Ninth to Thirteenth avenues, provided he pay the costs of advertising.

THE PAVING APPEAL.

The appeal of the Pacific Paving Company to have its assessment issued for paving Twelfth street from Washington to Broadway was called promptly at 9 o'clock. Street Superintendent Miller had refused to issue the assessment because he considered the work was poorly done and not in conformity with the specifications and contract.

The attorney for the company suggested that Mr. Miller first prove that the work was defective, but Towle thought that the company should prove its case first and James H. Swift manager for the company, was sworn. He said that he had been very particular about this work and he considered it as fine a piece of work as was ever done. He thought that the bitumen was not lumpy nor was it laid on a foundation too damp.

Mr. Miller asked on cross-examination if the witness had ever received notice not to lay the bitumen until the foundation dried. Mr. Swift answered that the company had.

Bassett asked the effect of laying bitumen on a wet foundation and Dow took up the statement of the witness that the Street Superintendent had given the company trouble from the first. Under the examination the witness acknowledged that Mr. Miller had made complaints about the rock, cement, etc., but did nothing that an honest and careful official should not do.

S. B. Boyce, on behalf of the appellants, said that he had noticed the condition of the street before the bitumen was laid and thought it sufficiently dry. On cross-examination he said that he knew nothing about concrete, was not a contractor and did not know what the effect of water on a foundation would be.

F. W. Searing, whose store is on the street, did not think that the street was very wet. It had rained the afternoon before the day on which the bitumen was laid.

Charles Marshal, the foreman in the employ of the company, testified that the street was moist, though not what would be called wet. As to lumps he said that there were none in the bitumen that would not pulverize under the roller.

M. J. Manard, assistant superintendent for the company, and laborer Parley, in their employ, thought the job All, and J. W. Crick, the inspector for the city, said that the work, in his opinion, was done in accordance with the plans and specifications, and he considered it one of the finest jobs in the city.

Dow took a piece of bitumen and asked the witness if bitumen containing lumps as large as those in the piece he held should be laid in doing good work.

Mr. Crick said, if so, the work would be considered a bad job.

P. W. Reardon was the first witness for the city. He said that he had been in the street contracting business for six years and thought that good bitumen should be practically free from lumps. The concrete might be a little wet without affecting the work, so long as the water was not sufficient to cool the bitumen.

A. Haskins said he had laid bitumen and asphalt for the past fourteen years. That lumps should be removed to make a good pavement, and that dryness of the foundation added to the efficiency.

City Engineer Wilson said that he had noticed the work while in course of construction. He had noticed that the men were raking the lumps along and covering them up instead of taking them out. He had told the foreman in charge not to lay the bitumen until the street dried. Shortly afterward, he came back and found that the work of placing the bitumen on the concrete was in progress.

Towle moved that further consideration of the matter be sent to the street committee, for them to investigate and report at the next meeting.

The roll was called, and such was the order.

Mott got the floor, and moved that the next meeting be held next Monday. So ordered.

TO HELP THE POOR.

Heitmann said he had a resolution which he wanted passed. It was to transfer $3500 from the general fund to the street fund to pay the street laborers.

Mott wanted the matter to go regularly to the finance committee.

Heitmann objected, as he said he had seen street laborers having their warrants shaved by money sharks and thought the matter ought to be attended to at once.

Towle tried to pacify the matter by a meeting to be held next Wednesday, but was not supported, so Heitmann withdrew his motion, and the resolution went to the finance committee.

THE WATER RESOLUTION.

Brosnahan had a little plan to raise money.

"I think that if we give the matter attention," he said, as he presented his resolution, "that it will help the city finances and also the street laborers and perhaps Heitmann's plan will be unnecessary. The water companies are bidding for the private business, and I believe the city ought to come in on it. I have watched the business, and if they do as well by us as they do by the citizens we will save from $10,000 to $12,000 in the next six months. We will just set a night and let them come here and do a little bidding and the one who goes lowest gets the contract. We need the money and I ask for a suspension of the rules so that we can get down to work right away."

The roll was called with the result of 7 ayes, 2 nays, 2 absent.

Ayes—Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Marshall, Mott, Towle and President Manuel.

Nays—Bassett and Heitmann.

Absent—Capell and Watkinson.

Dow thought the matter ought to go before the committee and come up at the next meeting. The hour was too late for much discussion and Brosnahan consented to lay it over for more consideration. The roll was called on the motion to lay it over and all voted aye.

The resolution in full is as follows:

Whereas, There are two companies engaged in supplying water for public and private use in the city of Oakland, both of which have been and still are actively soliciting patronage from private consumers at rates far below the maximum established by the Council to remain in force until the first day of July, A. D. 1896; and

Whereas, Notwithstanding this competition the Council of the City of Oakland has continued to pay and is still paying unnecessarily full maximum rates for all the water supplied to it by said companies and each of them; and

Whereas, It is the duty of this Council to secure its supplies of all kinds at as low rates as possible, and at prices not exceeding those paid by private consumers, and not to parcel out patronage of any kind upon petitions or solicitations or as personal favors at prices greater than need to be paid, a duty especially incumbent at this time of financial embarrassment in the funds of the city, and

Whereas, Both the said water companies are enjoying the untaxed use of the public streets for their business purposes and private gain, frequently necessitating repairs at public expense, and

Whereas, Large savings can be made to the taxpayers of this city by properly taking the benefit of the competition now existing in supplying water, and these savings can by prompt action on the part of the Council be applied during the next six months to great advantage in repairing Eighth street bridge, Twelfth street dam, improving parks and employing labor now suffering in enforced idleness; therefore

Resolved, That this Council will hereafter take its water supply for all five purposes, street, sprinkling, public parks and public buildings, controlled by it until the first day of July, A. D. 1896, from that company which will supply the water at the lowest prices below the maximum rates heretofore fixed by this Council; and that the clerk give notice by publication in the Oakland Enquirer for five days inviting such proposals.

AFTER DAVIE.

Chief of Police Lloyd sent a spicy communication complaining that the Mayor was not signing his requisitions and a resolution directing the Police and Fire Commissioners to instruct the Chief of Police to buy $193.30 worth of brogans blankets and overalls was passed over Bassett's negative vote.

Miller had a similar communication and a similar resolution was introduced.

Bassett was opposed to voting any money for cross walks and so expressed himself. The resolution was defective and while Mr. Miller was drawing a new one Dow called up the resolution authorizing the city to repair that part of the Twelfth street which is opposite their property on the dam. Dow said that there would be a meeting in Washington hall next Friday night of the Twelfth street property owners who would probably like to know what the city would do. The vote was 8 ayes, Bassett no, Watkinson and Capell absent.

THE EIGHTH STREET BRIDGE.

A new ordinance for the repair of the Eighth street bridge at a cost not to exceed $12,000 was referred to the ordinance committee.

Miller got back with his amended resolution, but he was too late; the Council stood adjourned until next Monday.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The following claims were recommended by the finance committe and passed by the Council: Mrs. Alice Anthony, $800; J. Bohan, $10; E. G. Buswell Paint Company, $2.50; William Brady, $20; John L. Bromley, $15; Contra Costa Laundry, $4.30; Carruth & Carruth, $14.65; J. P. Crick, $75; Contra Costa Water Company, $6.80; Davis & Co., $1; A. Dowson, $9; H. Deucke, $20; J. L. Dunn, $20; G. S. Daniels, $5; H. D. Ellason, $6.34, $13.75; E. Hampel, $1.50; H. Hotchkiss, $25; F. M. Hunstead, $5.50, L. Hewlett, $325.71; J. Harris, $48; F. C. Howe, $4; J. A. Ingler, $20; H. E. Jones, $14, $1.25, Jordan Printing Company, $2.97; C. W. Hensey, $1.50; R. W. Merrick, $37.46; L. A. Mitchell, $15; H. A. Melbourne, $20; T. Marks, $6; J. Miller, $82.38; Ross Morgan, $140; J. Mueller, $8.25, $14; J. R. McMath, $70; V. S. Northy, $12; Charles T. Ott, $2.50; Osgood Bros., $4.50; Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company, $15.60; Oakland Enquirer Publishing Company, $13.78, $2.10, $9.20, $12.35, $30.15, $12.35, $4.15, $14.17, $2.15, $13.48; Pacific Press, $4.30; C. E. Proctor, $180, $36; Peerless Awning Company, $1; C. B. Rutherford, $3.65; F. H. Reed, $48, $60; Martin Regan, $2; J. R. Redding, $18; Rice & White, $41.85; Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Company, $1.15, $187.50, $25; Michael Sullivan, $1; E. Stockler, $1.50; H. Tam Suden, $200; O. K. Stampley, $4; Sohst Bros., $55; $38.75; I. Tobriner, $2.50; A. B. Tennant, $122.50; $122.50, $122.50; Umphred Bros., $45; Weitman & Weitman, $3.60; H. L. Weitzel, $236.25; J. J. White, $13.50; L. E. Wilkins, $1; Weitman & Weitman, $1.50; Al Wood & Bro., $4.50; J. C. Wilson & Co., $27.64, $7.47, $229.38, $17.79, $272.01.

Christmas—Consignment of mandolins, $7.50, Clark Wise & Co's. 1108 Broadway.

THE POULTRY SHOW.

A Fine Exhibition Is to Be Given at the Tabernacle.

Activity is beginning to reign in the Exposition building and annex, by way of making preparation for the coming poultry exhibit under the auspices of the Pacific Coast Poultry and Pigeon Association, which opens on the 16th inst.

Craigie Sharp, who was the manager of the late Oakland Exposition, has been appointed manager of the new undertaking, and is now ready to dispose of space for advertising and concessions. He says that the affair will be an unqualified success, because, even at this early day, more than 1000 entries have been made.

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At the meeting of the Board of Education last night the changes to be made in the teachers came up and the following assignments were made: Miss Madden, to Cole School, ninth grade B; Miss Grove, eighth grade A, Cole School; Miss Leinon, Cole School, sixth grade A; Miss Morrison, Cole School, fifth grade A. Mrs. Pitchie of the Franklin School, fourth grade will exchange with Miss Hayes of the Sweet School, fourth grade.

Applications for teachers' positions from Gertrude Williams and Emma J. McCracken were filed.

Helen M. Stores of the Franklin School was granted a six months extension to her leave of absence.

Requisitions will be asked for labor and material for constructing cement curbing and gutters around the Grant School.

Attention was called to the discounting of the teachers' salary warrants and the matter referred to the Judiciary Committee for remedy if possible.

Janitors were instructed to see that no posters are placed on school fences in the future.

THE HIGH SCHOOL BOARD.

The High School Board granted Fred L. Button, president of the alumni, permission to sell tickets for an entertainment to be held January 17th.

The recommendation for special courses was referred to the committee in connection with Principal McChesney.

Complaints were made o' the treatment of the rooms by the football club and the Aegis and the janitors were instructed to look carefully after the matter in the future.

Lack of funds lost Miss Palmer's application for an assistant.

A motion to close the school at 3 o'clock was carried.

A motion to dispense with singing, as it would interfere with the early closing was introduced and after discussion it was decided to have this study from 3 to 3:30 o'clock for the present and to abolish it later if the pupils do not take sufficient interest to warrant the expense.

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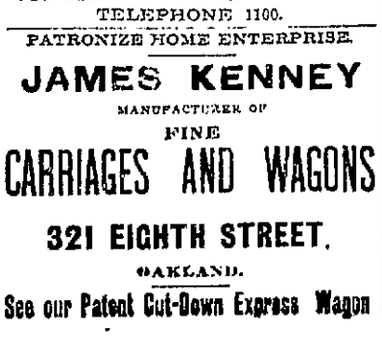
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